
ANNUAL REPORT
of the Town of
MERRIMACK
NEW HAMPSHIRE



For the Year Ending
JANUARY 31
NINETEEN FORTY-THREE

FIRE ALARM

International Shoe Co. Whistle

- 2-2-2—Reed's Ferry.
- 3-3-3—Merrimack Village.
- 4-4-4—Thornton's Ferry.
- 5-5-5—So. Merrimack.
- 6-6-6—Christian Hill Section.
- 1-2, 1-2, 1-2—Seaverns Bridge Section.

In case of Fire Call Merrimack Telephone operator, 8000.

AIR RAID INFORMATION

Warning Signal

- 14 short blasts from International Shoe Factory whistle and continuous ringing of church bells, telephone signal—One extra long ring.

DO'S

Before a Raid

- 1. Know your Post Wardens.
- 2. If at home, prepare a refuge room or place of shelter for you and your family.
- 3. Procure material to blackout at least one livable room so that no lights will show externally.
- 4. Obtain equipment for extinguishing incendiary bombs.
- 5. Clear attic of all combustible material and rubbish.

During A Raid

- 1. If at home, turn off all gas, put out all lights.
- 2. Turn on radio for instructions.
- 3. Keep away from windows. Seek safest room which may be cellar.
- 4. If driving, stop your car, park close to the curb, and seek shelter in safest looking building.
- 5. If in the open, lie flat on the ground.

After A Raid

1. Check the pilot light on the gas range if a blast has taken place in the vicinity.
2. Remain at home and avoid public places.
3. Assist A. R. P. Services when requested, but avoid interfering by standing about in crowds in order to satisfy your curiosity.

DONT'S

During An Air Raid

1. Do not have any lights showing externally during a blackout.
2. Do not become panicky because of an air raid.
3. Do not use telephone unless absolutely necessary.
4. Do not stand in the open, but seek shelter on the sounding of the warning.
5. Do not seek shelter in Police Stations or Fire Houses.
6. Do not leave place of shelter or turn on any lights until the "ALL CLEAR" signal is given.

BLACKOUT INFORMATION

Lights may be put on if windows are completely covered with heavy paper, cardboard, heavy cloth or boards.

INCENDIARY BOMB INFORMATION

Cover incendiary bomb with dry sand, dirt or ashes, scoop sand and bomb into a metal pail which has 3 inches of sand or dirt in it. Carry pail at end of long handled shovel to street. Return to attic and put out fire. Report to Fire Station if unable to handle bomb.

Issued by the

MERRIMACK COUNCIL OF DEFENSE

THE
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New Hampshire

INCLUDING THE VITAL STATISTICS

For the Year Ending January 31, 1943

Also

THE REPORT OF THE SCHOOL BOARD

For the Year Ending June 30, 1942

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THE REPORT OF THE SCHOOL BOARD

For the Year Ending June 30, 1943

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TOWN OFFICERS

Representative to General Court

EDWARD W. CARTER

Moderator

CHARLES L. STOWELL

Town Clerk

DAVID R. JONES

Town Treasurer

WILLIAM S. ABBOTT

Selectmen

GEORGE W. CARROLL
CHARLES L. STOWELL

P. HENRY COGGER
E. W. CARTER

Trustees Trust Fund

FLORENCE RICHARDSON IBRA FOSTER, Deceased
JOHN W. WRIGHT

Auditors

WILBER FOSTER

HAZEL WHITE

Supervisors of Checklist

KENNETH M. JENKINS

GERALD W. PERRY

ALBA BENNETT

Highway Agents

HENRY STIMSON

BERT L. GILMORE

Tax Collectors

J. WILSON FRENCH

WILBUR J. FOSTER

Police Officers

EDMUND O'LEARY, Chief
JOHN I. WATKINS

GERALD W. PERRY
GORDON MacKAY

Fire Department

Chief JOSIAH N. HENDERSON

Assistant Chief, ARTHUR G. GORDON

Captain, WILLIAM S. ABBOTT Clerk, CHARLES L. STOWELL

Treasurer, WILBER J. FOSTER

Merrimack

Forest Fire Warden

WILLIAM A. ALLAGIER

Deputy Wardens

FRANCIS W. BEAN

BERT L. PEASLEE

EDWARD J. WOODWARD

GERALD W. PERRY

EDWARD W. CARTER

Health Officer

DR. PAUL DE NICOLA

Library Trustees

FRANKLIN L. HASELTINE

J. WILSON FRENCH

Librarian

MARGUERITE M. HENDERSON

IDA M. WATKINS, *Assistant**Moderator School Meeting*

HARRY WATKINS

School Clerk

FRANCIS W. BEAN

School Treasurer

JOSIAH N. HENDERSON

School Board

CLAUDE M. MAKER

DAVID R. JONES

FRANCES C. MERRILL

School Auditor

BEULAH M. HASELTINE

Janitor Town Hall

GEORGE T. DAVIS

Sexton of Cemeteries

HARRY RICHARDSON

Trustees McGaw High School

BEULAH M. HASELTINE

CHARLES L. STOWELL

JOSIAH N. HENDERSON

ROBERT GORDON

Budget Committee

WALLACE L. CASWELL

WILLIAM S. ABBOTT

JOHN W. WRIGHT

FRANCIS W. BEAN

CHARLES F. RUSSELL

CURTIS L. BELL

BERT L. PEASLEE

TOWN WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Merrimack in the County of Hillsborough in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

[L. S.]

You are hereby notified to meet at Town Hall in said Merrimack on Tuesday, the ninth day of March, next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.
2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.
3. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for town officers' salaries.
4. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for town officers' expenses.
5. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for election and registration.
6. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the overseer of the poor.
7. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the care of the town hall and other buildings.
8. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the police department.
9. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the fire department.
10. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for fighting forest fires or take any action thereto.

11. To see if the town will vote to raise the sum of \$200 for the extermination of moths and white pine blister rust.

12. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the health department.

13. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the maintenance of highways and bridges.

14. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for oil to be used on the town roads.

15. To see if the town will vote to accept state aid on Class 2 or Class 5 highways, and raise and appropriate money for the same. If Class 2 is desired the town must raise \$2,179.67 and the state will contribute \$2,179.67. If class 5 is desired the town must raise \$871.87 and the state will contribute \$3,487.46. No town may receive both Class 2 and Class 5 aid in the same year.

16. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the removal of snow or take any action thereto.

17. To see what action the town wishes to take in regard to street lights in Merrimack Village, or take any other action thereto.

18. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100 for street lights in Reed's Ferry.

19. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the town library.

20. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the care of town poor including aid to soldiers.

21. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for old age assistance.

22. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for Memorial Day and other celebrations.

23. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the care of parks and playgrounds.

24. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate for the care of cemeteries.

25. To see if the town will vote to allow a discount on the early payment of taxes, or take any action thereto.

26. To hear the reports of the town officers and transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting and raise and appropriate money for the same.

Given under our hands and seal, this 20th day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and forty-three.

GEORGE W. CARROLL,
CHARLES L. STOWELL,
E. W. CARTER,
Selectmen of Merrimack, N. H.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

GEORGE W. CARROLL,
CHARLES L. STOWELL,
E. W. CARTER,
Selectmen of Merrimack, N. H.

BUDGET OF THE TOWN

ESTIMATES OF REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES FOR THE
COMPARED
ACTUAL REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES OF THE

SOURCES OF REVENUE	Revenue Previous Actual Year 1942	Revenue Ensuing Estimated Year 1943	Increase	Decrease
From State:				
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$1,445.09	\$1,400.00	.....	\$445.09
Railroad Tax	359.46	350.00	.....	9.46
Savings Bank Tax	614.39	600.00	.....	14.39
For fighting forest fires	625.60	.....	.....	.....
From Local Sources Except Taxes:				
Rent of Town Hall and Other buildings	182.25	180.00	.....	2.25
Income of Departments:				
Filing fees	6.00	.....	.....	.....
Dog licenses	332.98	300.00	.....	32.98
Kittridge trust fund	100.00	.....	.....	.....
Income from Municipally owed Utilities:				
Water departments, Williams fire	6.15	.....	.....	.....
B. & M. R. R. fire	3,677.58	.....	.....	.....
Motor vehicle permit fees	1,250.79	900.00	.....	350.00
A. Griffin, road oil	26.45	.....	.....	.....
Amount Raised by Issue of Bonds or Notes:				
Sale of town property	50.00	.....	.....	.....
From Local Taxes Other Than Prop- erty Taxes:				
(a) Poll Taxes	877.88	800.00	.....	77.88
(b) National Bank Stock Taxes .	35.38	35.38	.....	.....
Amherst, part of fire	125.00	.....	.....	.....
Total Revenues from all Sources				
Except Property Taxes	\$9,715.00	\$4,565.38	.....	\$932.05

BERT L. PEASLEE,
CHAS. H. FIELDS,
JOHN W. WRIGHT,
FRANCIS BEAN,
ELBRIDGE R. WELCH,
CURTIS L. BELL,
BUDGET COMMITTEE,
Town of Merrimack, N. H.

OF MERRIMACK, N. H.

ENSUING YEAR FEBRUARY 1, 1943 TO JANUARY 31, 1944
WITH
PREVIOUS YEAR FEBRUARY 1, 1942 TO JANUARY 31, 1943

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Actual Expendi- tures Previous Year 1942	Estimated Expendi- tures Ensuing Year 1943	Increase	Decrease
<i>Current Maintenance Expenses:</i>				
<i>General Government:</i>				
Issuing auto permits	\$112.75	\$125.00	.....	.....
Town officers' salaries	1,447.46	1,500.00	.....	.....
Town officers' expenses	601.32	500.00	.....	\$101.32
Election and registration expenses	328.05	125.00	.....	203.05
Overseer of Poor	160.17	175.00	\$14.83	.....
Expenses Town Hall and Other town buildings	539.95	550.00	10.05	.....
<i>Protection of Persons and Property:</i>				
Police department	527.38	450.00	.....	77.38
Fire department	6,322.86	2,000.00	.....	4,322.86
W. P. A.	37.40	.....	.....	.....
Discounts and abatements	1,197.53	1,000.00	.....	197.53
<i>Health:</i>				
Health department, including hos- pitals	152.12	150.00	.....	2.12
Damage by dogs	96.00	.....	.....	.....
Gas grader cemetery	4.56	.....	.....	.....
Snow removal	1,766.06	.....	.....	.....
<i>Highways and Bridges:</i>				
1/2 interest look out station	27.45	.....	.....	.....
Town maintenance	4,987.90	5,000.00	12.10	.....
Street lighting	88.48	100.00	11.52	.....
Town road aid	972.37	871.87	.....	100.50
Auto damage	25.00	.....	.....	.....
Willow bridge	1,107.07	.....	.....	.....
Severns Bridge	157.34	.....	.....	.....
Refunds	139.45	.....	.....	.....
Road oil	7,247.67	6,500.00	.....	747.67
<i>Libraries:</i>				
Libraries	1,000.00	1,000.00	.....	.....
<i>Public Welfare:</i>				
Town poor	907.83	600.00	.....	307.00
Old age assistance	1,752.47	1,800.00	47.53	.....
<i>Patriotic Purposes:</i>				
Memorial day and other celebra- tions	56.10	50.00	.....	6.10
Aid to soldiers and their families	290.80	100.00	.....	190.80
<i>Recreation:</i>				
Parks and playgrounds, incl. band concerts	42.00	35.00	.....	7.00
<i>Public Service Enterprises:</i>				
Cemeteries	134.75	50.00	.....	84.75
Damage and legal expenses	181.00	.....	.....	.....
<i>Interest:</i>				
On temporary loans	38.33	.....	.....	.....
Taxes bought by town	3,558.54	.....	.....	.....
Kittridge fund	100.00	.....	.....	.....
<i>Outlay for New Construction and Permanent Improvements:</i>				
<i>Highways and Bridges:</i>				
Indian Head National Bank, temporary note	6,000.00	.....	.....	.....
<i>Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:</i>				
County taxes	8,836.82	7,000.00	.....	.....
Payments to School Districts ...	19,082.36	18,658.47	.....	.....
Total Expenditures	\$70,027.34	\$48,340.34	\$148.57	\$6,771.97

SUMMARY OF INVENTORY

Land and buildings		\$1,084,925.00
Electric plants		93,590.00
Asses and Mules, 66		5,425.00
Oxen		.....
Cows, 387		25,380.00
Neat Stock, 19		820.00
Sheep		.....
Hogs, 19		228.00
Fowls, 21,841		17,472.00
Fur bearing animals		.....
Vehicles		.....
Portable mills, 2		1,100.00
Boats and Launches, 3		550.00
Wood and lumber		4,400.00
Gas pumps and tanks		3,685.00
Stock in trade		74,318.00
Aqueducts		.....
Locks and canals		1,200.00
Toll bridges		.....
Wharves		.....
Ferries		.....
Mill and machinery		178,100.00
Poll taxes	1,448.00	
National Bank stock tax	36.00	
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		\$1,491,443.00
Less soldiers' exemptions		33,120.00
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Value tax rate figured on		\$1,458.323.00
Property tax		\$47,249.63
Poll tax		1,364.00
National Bank stock tax		36.00
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Total tax committed to collector		\$48,733.63
Average tax rate, 3.24		

LIST OF APPROPRIATION AND TAXES ASSESSED

Town officers' salaries	\$1,600.00
Town officers' expenses	500.00
Election and registration	350.00
Overseer of poor	200.00
Town hall and other buildings	600.00
Police department	450.00
Fire department	2,000.00
Health department, including ambulance	145.00
Highways and bridges	5,000.00
Willow bridge, repairs	1,000.00
Oil and tar	6,500.00
Class 5 road, T. R. A.	874.61
Snow removal and sanding	1,064.26
Street lights for Merrimack	100.00
Street lights for Reed's Ferry	100.00
Issuing truck permits	125.00
Library	1,000.00
Interest	100.00
Town poor and aid to soldiers	600.00
Old age assistance	1,700.00
Memorial Day	50.00
Care of parks and playgrounds	35.00
Care of cemeteries	200.00
To complete town hall kitchen	250.00
School tax	18,067.00
County tax	8,836.82
Total appropriation	<u>\$51,447.69</u>
Less Estimated Revenue and Credits:	
Interest and dividends tax	\$1,437.51
Railroad tax	350.00
Savings bank tax	600.00
Motor vehicle permits	1,400.00
Rent of town hall	250.00
Interest	225.00
	<u>4,262.51</u>
	<u>\$47,185.18</u>
Plus overlay	1,464.45
	<u>\$48,649.63</u>
	Merrimack

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Dog licenses, May 1, 1942 to Jan. 31, 1943:

Issued 2 kennel licenses	\$24.00
Issued 13 female licenses	65.00
Issued 110 male licenses	220.00
Issued 7 part year licenses	11.98

Paid to Town Treasurer	\$320.98
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Registration of motor vehicles:

1942-1943	452 registrations
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Paid to Town Treasurer	\$1,250.79
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FINANCIAL REPORT

Balance Sheet

Assets

Cash in hands of treasurer		\$5,048.26
Unredeemed Taxes:		
Levy of 1941	\$1,760.68	
Levy of 1940	1,397.19	
Previous years	631.53	
Uncollected Taxes:		
Levy of 1942	6,174.41	
Levy of 1941	80.92	
Levy of 1940	168.80	
Previous years	54.00	
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Total Assets		<hr/> \$15,315.79
Net surplus, January 31, 1942	\$6,559.34	
Net surplus, January 31, 1943	6,920.53	
Increase of surplus	361.19	

Liabilities

Accounts Owed by the Town:		
Orders outstanding	\$347.28	
Town Hall kitchen	225.00	
Fraser Square	200.00	
Due to School Districts:		
Dog licenses	55.98	
Balance of appropriation	7,567.00	
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Total Liabilities		\$8,395.26
Excess of assets over liabilities (surplus)		6,920.53
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Grand Total		\$15,315.79

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall, land and building	\$12,000.00
Furniture and equipment	1,000.00
Libraries, land and buildings	18,000.00
Furniture and equipment	2,500.00
Police Department,	
Equipment	100.00
Fire Department,	
Equipment	4,250.00
Highway Department,	
Equipment	1,000.00
Parks, commons and playgrounds	1,000.00
Schools, land and buildings	15,000.00
Equipment	1,000.00
All lands and buildings acquired through	
Tax Collector's deeds:	
Arthur Richards, lots, Baboosic lake	300.00
John Damis, wood lot	300.00
R. M. Brown, lots, Baboosic lake	100.00
Agnes Sawtelle, lot, Baboosic lake	75.00
John and Fay Read, Concord lots,	
Baboosic lake	25.00
Arthur Etheridge, land on D. W. Highway	800.00
John Woods, Heirs, Meadow land	25.00
John Woods, Heirs, Sargent land	100.00
John Woods, Heirs, Pennichuck land	100.00
M. Herzog, old mill	200.00
A. E. Covey, lot	50.00
 Total	 \$57,925.00

SUMMARY OF WARRANT

 Levy of 1942

Dr.

Taxes committed to collector:

Property taxes	\$47,369.63
Poll taxes	1,364.00

Total warrant	\$48,733.63
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Added taxes:

Property taxes	200.88
Poll taxes	24.00
Interest collected	9.68

Total debits	\$48,968.19
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Total remittances to treasurer	\$41,842.33
Discounts allowed	731.04
Abatements	220.41
Uncollected taxes as per collector's list	6,174.41

Total credits	\$48,968.19
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Respectfully submitted,

WILBUR J. FOSTER,
Tax Collector.

ABATEMENTS

Levy of 1942

Fred E. Wilkins, soldier's exemption	\$32.40
Oswald Larocque, soldier's exemption	2.43
Lulu R. Whitman, overtaxed	4.86
Pennichuck Water Company, overtaxed	93.76
R. C. McKinley, overtaxed	12.96
William Calnan, over 70	2.00
Howard Gamble, over 70	2.00
Amelia H. Fields, over 70	2.00
Chris. F. Becker, over 70	2.00
Cordelia J. Tremblay, over 70	2.00
David E. Tremblay, over 70	2.00
Clarence Ladd, over 70	2.00
John T. Watkins, soldier	2.00
Stanley Drobysh, soldier	2.00
Charles Nute, Jr., soldier	2.00
Walter Pearson, soldier	2.00
Elwood G. Warriner, soldier	2.00
Edward Hoffman, soldier	2.00
Alphage Cote, soldier	2.00
David Colburn, soldier	2.00
Alexander Hujsak, soldier	2.00
Thayer Read, soldier	2.00
Lewis Watkins, soldier	2.00
Charles H. Watkins, soldier	2.00
Morris Perrault, soldier	2.00
Arthur S. Balatos, non-resident	2.00
Hazel R. Gage, non-resident	2.00
Theodore Drohan, non-resident	2.00
Lila C. Drohan, non-resident	2.00
Greta Fraser, non-resident	2.00
M. Josephine Welch, non-resident	2.00
Marion Drobysh, non-resident	2.00
Merwon Smiley, non-resident	2.00
Norman Smiley, non-resident	2.00
Beatrice Stedman, non-resident	2.00
W. W. Stedman, non-resident	2.00
Rose Babkirk, non-resident	2.00
E. J. Casey, non-resident	2.00

Marion Casey, non-resident	2.00
Florence Allgaier, not 21	2.00
Chas. Cobbett, veteran	2.00
Walter F. Gage, non-resident	2.00
Total	<hr/> \$220.41

WILBUR J. FOSTER,
Tax Collector.

TAX COLLECTOR'S ACCOUNT 1942

	1937	
Uncollected		\$18.00

	1938	
Uncollected, Feb. 1, 1942		\$38.00
Interest, taxes collected		4.41
Redeemed tax sales		67.88

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		\$110.29
Remittances to treasurer, taxes		\$16.00
Remittances to treasurer, abatements		4.00
Remittances to treasurer, interest		4.41
Remittances to treasurer, tax sales redeemed		67.88
Uncollected, Feb. 1, 1943		18.00
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		\$110.29

	1939	
Uncollected, Feb. 1, 1942		\$36.00
Interest, taxes collected		1.91
Redeemed tax sales		673.54

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		\$711.45
Remittances to treasurer, taxes		\$10.00
Remittances to treasurer, interest		1.91
Remittances to treasurer, abatements		8.00
Remittances to treasurer, tax sales redeemed		673.54
Uncollected, Feb. 1, 1943		18.00
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		\$711.45

	1940	
Uncollected, Feb. 1, 1942		\$226.94
Interest, taxes collected		4.20
Redeemed tax sales		1,454.42

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		\$1,685.56
Remittances to treasurer, taxes		\$22.00
Remittances to treasurer, interest		4.20

Remittances to treasurer, abatements	32.00
Remittances to treasurer, tax sales redeemed	1,454.42
Uncollected	168.80
Cash on hand	4.14
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	\$1,685.56

1941 Uncollected

Arthur S. Balatsos	\$2.00	Louise Levesque	2.00
Millie Barber	2.00	Edna Linscott	2.00
Arthur Bartlett	2.00	Eliza Linquist	2.00
Dorris Bennett	2.00	Fred W. Longa	2.00
Peter Burgess	2.00	Adell McKeowen	2.00
Mrs. Burgess	2.00	Margaret McKeowen	2.00
Albert Burgess	2.00	David Montaigne	2.00
Gerald Berry	2.00	Myrtle Montaigne	2.00
Yvonne Coaster	2.00	Alice B. Shattuck	2.00
Alfred Castle	2.00	Beryle Small	2.00
Clarrina Carman	2.00	Earnest W. Taylor	2.00
Alice Carman	2.00	David Tremblay (over 70)	2.00
Helen Cuslukwic	2.00	Josephine Twardosky	2.00
Marian Drobysk	2.00	Louis Valley	2.00
Albert Gobin	2.00	Wm. Weston	2.00
Eugene Haight	2.00	Elwood Worster	2.00
Jessie Haight	2.00	Yvonne Worster	2.00
Samuel Jebbs, Jr.	2.00	Fred Woods	2.00
Lena LeBlanc	2.00	Bessie Woods	2.92
Bronia Lester	2.00		
Beatrice Levesque	2.00		<hr/>
			\$80.92

1941

Uncollected, Feb. 1, 1942	\$9,958.77
Added taxes	48.00
Interest, taxes collected	435.93
Overpaid treasurer (two tax sales)	1,787.76

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	\$12,230.46
Remittances to treasurer, taxes	\$7,695.11
Remittances to treasurer interest	435.93
Remittances to treasurer, abatements	236.91
Remittances to treasurer, 1st and 2nd tax sale	3,142.64
Remittances to treasurer, tax sale	25.00
Remittances to treasurer, tax sale	569.22
Cash on hand	44.73
Uncollected, Feb. 1, 1943	80.92

\$12,230.46

Merrimack

TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

WILLIAM S. ABBOTT, *Treasurer*

In Account with the Town of Merrimack, N. H.

Receipts

Balance in Treasury Feb. 1, 1942	\$7,996.03
From Selectmen:	
Walter Kittredge, Cemetery Trust Fund	100.00
Stanley Hujsak, land sale	50.00
Indian Head Bank, interest	17.08
Sale of road oil	26.45
Railroad tax	359.46
Savings bank tax	614.39
Interest and dividend tax	1,445.09
Rent of Town Hall	182.25
Forest fire aid	4,434.33
From Town Clerk:	
Motor vehicle tax	1,250.79
Dog license fees	332.98
Filing fees	6.00
From Wilbur J. Foster, Collector of Taxes:	
Taxes of 1942	41,823.37
Interest on taxes of 1942	9.68
Discounts 1942	731.04
Abatements 1942	194.41
National bank stock taxes	35.28
From J. Wilson French, Collector of Taxes:	
Taxes of 1937	6.00
Taxes of 1938	16.00
Taxes of 1939	10.00
Taxes of 1940	26.14
Taxes of 1941	7,932.02
Interest taxes of 1937	2.00
Interest taxes of 1938	4.41
Interest taxes of 1939	1.91
Interest taxes of 1940	4.20
Interest taxes of 1941	265.52

Tax sales 1941	3,736.86
Interest on tax sales 1941	170.41
Tax sales redeemed 1938	67.88
Tax sales redeemed 1939	673.54
Tax sales redeemed 1940	1,454.42
Tax sales redeemed 1941	703.97
Abatements 1938	4.00
Abatements 1939	8.00
Abatements 1940	32.00

Total receipts	\$74,727.91
Total payments	69,679.65

Treasurer's balance, Jan. 31, 1943	\$5,048.26
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WILLIAM S. ABBOTT,
Treasurer.

Selectmen's balance	\$4,700.57
Orders outstanding	347.69
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	\$5,048.26

UNIFORM CLASSIFICATION

Receipts

From Local Taxes:

Total taxes committed to
collector

1942 \$48,968.19

Less discounts
and abate-
ments

951.45

Less uncol-
lected

6,174.41

Property tax, 1942, actu-
ally collected

\$40,963.05

Poll taxes, 1942, actually
collected

844.00

National Bank Stock taxes

35.28

Total of current year's collection

\$41,842.33

Property and poll taxes, previous years,
actually collected

11,955.64

Tax sales redeemed

2,899.81

From the State:

Interest and dividend tax \$1,445.09

Railroad tax 359.46

Savings bank tax 614.39

Fighting forest fires 625.60

3,044.54

From Local Sources, Except Taxes:

Dog licenses, 1942 \$332.98

Rent of town property 182.25

Registration motor vehicles 1,250.79

1942-1943 permits 1,250.79

1,766.02

Receipts other than Current Revenue:

Sale of town property \$50.00

Addie Kittridge trust fund 100.00

Robert Williams, fire 6.15

B & M R. R. forest fire 3,677.58

Abbie Griffin, road oil 26.45

Filing fees	6.00	
Town of Amherst, forest fire	125.00	
Discounts and abatements	1,232.36	
Cash on hand, Jan. 31, 1942	7,261.37	
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		12,484.91
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Total Receipts from all Sources		\$73,993.25

Payments

Current Maintenance Expenses:

General Government:

Town officers' salaries	\$1,720.38	
Town officers' expenses	601.32	
Election and registration	328.05	
Expenses of town hall	539.95	
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		\$3,189.70

Protection of Persons and Property:

Police department	\$527.38	
Fire department	6,322.86	
Damages by dogs	277.00	
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		7,127.24

Health:

Health department		152.12
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Highways and Bridges:

Willow Bridge	\$1,107.07	
Town Road Aid	972.37	
Town Maintenance,		
Summer	\$12,235.57	
Winter	1,766.06	
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	14,001.63	
Severns Bridge	157.34	
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		16,263.41

Libraries:

Library		1,000.00
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Public Welfare:

Old age assistance	\$1,752.47	
Town poor	907.83	
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		2,660.30

Patriotic Purposes:

Memorial Day	\$56.10	
Aid to soldiers and families	290.80	
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		346.90

Recreation:		
Parks and playgrounds		42.00
Public Service Enterprises:		
Street lights		88.48
Cemeteries		139.31
Unclassified:		
Taxes bought by town	\$3,558.54	
Discounts, abatements	1,336.98	
	<hr/>	4,895.52
Interest:		
Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes		38.33
Outlay for New Construction and Permanent Improvements:		
W. P. A.	\$37.40	
Addie Kittridge trust fund	100.00	
1/2 the maintenance cost of lookout station	27.45	
	<hr/>	164.85
Indebtedness:		
Payments on temporary loans in an- ticipation of taxes		6,000.00
Payments of other Governmental Divisions:		
County tax	\$8,836.82	
School districts	19,082.36	
	<hr/>	27,919.18
Grand Total		<hr/> \$70,027.34

DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

Received of Wilber J. Foster:		
Taxes of 1942		\$41,842.33
		951.45
J. Wilson French:		
Taxes of 1941	\$7,693.11	
Taxes of 1940	26.14	
Taxes of 1939	10.00	
Taxes of 1938	L 16.00	
Taxes of 1937	6.00	
		7,751.25
Taxes redeemed 1941	\$703.97	
Taxes redeemed 1940	1,447.48	
Taxes redeemed 1939	680.48	
Taxes redeemed 1938	67.88	
		2,899.81
Interest received 1941	\$437.93	
Interest received 1940	4.20	
Interest received 1939	1.91	
Interest received 1938	4.41	
Interest received 1937	2.00	
		450.45
Abatements of 1941	236.91	
Abatements of 1940	32.00	
Abatements of 1939	8.00	
Abatements of 1938	4.00	
		280.91
Tax Sales		3,736.86
Received from the State:		
Railroad tax	\$359.46	
Savings bank tax	614.39	
Interest and dividend tax	1,445.09	
Forest fires	625.60	
		3,044.54
Miscellaneous:		
Received from dog licenses		332.98
Interest from Indian Head bank		17.08
Rent of town hall		182.25

Registration of motor vehicles	1,250.79
Town property sold	50.00
Addie Kittridge trust fund	100.00
Robert Williams fire	6.15
Abbie Griffin road oil	26.45
Filing fees	6.00
Town of Amherst fire	125.00
Boston and Main R. R. forest fire	3,677.58
Cash on hand, Jan. 31, 1942	7,261.37

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

Town Officers' Salaries

E. W. Carter, Selectman	\$362.50	
Geo. W. Carroll, Selectman	397.50	
P. Henry Cogger, Selectman	290.00	
David R. Jones, Town Clerk	35.00	
William Abbott, Town Treasurer	60.00	
Florence E. Richardson, Trust- tee of Trust Fund Clerk	35.00	
Wilbur J. Foster, Tax Collector	209.46	
Hazel L. White, Auditor	26.00	
Wilbur J. Foster, Auditor	32.00	
		\$1,447.46
E. W. Carter, Overseer of Poor	\$123.99	
E. W. Carter, use of auto and telephone	36.18	
		\$160.17
David R. Jones, issuing auto permits		\$112.75

Town Officers' Expenses

Granite State Press, Town Reports	\$150.00
Cole Printing Co., printing	42.60
Wilbur J. Foster, printing and postage	10.90
Hazel L. White, typing	3.50
Brown & Saltmarsh, tax book	5.00
Dues to Assessors' Association	2.00
Sarah Sloan, stamps	19.50
Mrs. L. Cornwell, notes on Town Meeting	4.00
E. W. Carter, expense to March tax meeting	7.40
P. Henry Cogger, expense to March tax meeting	7.10
E. W. Carter, expense to road meeting	4.60
P. Henry Cogger, expense to road meeting	2.60

Merrimack

Geo. W. Carroll, use of auto	44.58
J. Wilson French, 6 deeds	7.50
Claud Maker, town officers' bonds	90.00
P. Henry Cogger, use of auto	16.20
Philip Morris, office supplies	22.18
Wheeler & Clark, tax book and rubber stamp	11.53
Wilfred Boisclair, 10 deceased names	1.00
Hills Co., Reg. of Deeds, transfers and mortgages	31.07
Roy Jenkins, tax in Bedford	2.90
Donat Corriveau, recording deeds	12.90
E. W. Carter, use of auto	9.04
Gertrude Cogger, copying book	8.80
Starr Stamp Printing Co., rubber stamp	.80
Maxfield Press, 500 envelopes	3.15
Louis Hoffman, registered letters	2.34
Wilbur J. Foster, expense tax meeting	8.15
E. W. Carter, expense tax meeting	7.64
Geo. W. Carroll, expense tax meeting	11.19
Hills County Reg. of Deeds, looking up tax titles	20.00
Florence Richardson, deposit box rent	9.00
David R. Jones, printing	22.15

\$601.32

Election and Registration

Kenneth M. Jenkins, supervisor check list	\$57.00
Gerald W. Perry, supervisor check list	54.00
Alba J. Bennett, supervisor check list	57.00
Bert L. Peaslee, ballot clerk	17.50
Louis Hoffman, ballot clerk	9.00
Henry Hock, ballot clerk	17.50

Charles Russell, ballot clerk	17.50	
Chas. L. Stowell, moderator	25.00	
Geo. T. Davis, setting up booths	3.20	
P. Henry Cogger, service	4.80	
E. W. Carter, service	11.00	
Geo. W. Carroll, service	12.05	
Edmund O'Leary, police duty	17.50	
Gordon MacKay, police duty	11.50	
Gerald W. Perry, police duty	6.00	
David R. Jones, ballots Town Meeting	7.50	
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		\$328.05

Town Hall

Geo. T. Davis, janitor service	\$163.55	
New England Tel. & Tel. Co.	151.94	
Public Service Co., lights	50.56	
Merrimack Co., water	18.64	
Geo. T. Davis, labor on wood	7.90	
J. B. Varick Co., flag and table paper	15.96	
Clarence Parker, tuning piano	3.00	
J. N. Henderson, repairs to stage	25.00	
Johnson Electric, light bulbs	1.40	
Chas. Fields, wood	40.00	
Earnest Johnson, wood	60.00	
Chas. L. Stowell, light bulb	1.20	
Geo. W. Carroll, light bulb	.80	
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		\$539.95

Police Department

Labor

Edmund J. O'Leary	\$352.86
Gerald W. Perry	92.47
Jos. Pynnenburg	10.00
Lawrence Cornwell	34.50
John Watkins	20.14
Arthur Bell	3.00

Supplies

C. M. Floyd	7.00	
W. S. Darley	7.21	
Geo. W. Carroll, aid to travelers	.20	
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		\$527.38

Fire Department

Labor

C. L. Stowell, clerk, Fire-		
men payroll	\$272.50	
Arts Garage, labor on fire truck	60.89	
C. L. Stowell, labor on fire truck	15.28	
Maxim Motor Co., repairs on fire		
truck	87.82	
W. J. Foster, care of fire trucks	25.00	
H. R. Greenleaf, labor and		
supplies	69.33	

Supplies

Jos. Pynenburg	3.41	
Fabric Hose Co., new pump		
for Ford	59.54	
N. H. Explosive Co.	5.71	
Railway Express Co.	4.30	
American LaFrance Co., asbestos		
gloves	3.64	
American LaFrance Co.,		
supplies	46.00	
Langtown Co., hose	50.00	
C. L. Stowell, nozzle connec-		
tions	5.25	
Austin Motor Co., chain tool	5.33	
J. N. Henderson, supplies	4.50	
W. S. Abbott, supplies	26.34	

Insurance

Claude Maker	198.80	
Aubrey J. Robinson	36.00	
F. Gordon Kimball	108.00	
Public Service Co., heat for fire		
station	83.66	
Merrimack Co., hydrant rent	130.00	

Forest Fires

William Allgaier, forest fires	73.03	
N. H. Forestry Dept., tools	59.15	
Big Merrimack and Amherst Fire	4,889.38	
	<hr/>	\$6,322.86

Credits

Forest Fires

Robert Williams, fire	\$6.15	
Boston & Maine, fire	22.15	
Boston & Maine, fire	4.73	
State of N. H.	\$10.01	
State of N. H.	6.01	
State of N. H.	1.13	
	<hr/>	17.15
	<hr/>	\$50.18

Big Fire

Boston & Maine	\$3,650.70	
Town of Amherst	125.00	
State of N. H.	608.45	
	<hr/>	\$4,384.15
Note: Net loss on big fire	\$505.23	\$4,434.33

Damage by Dogs

Norman Leonard, 129 pullets	\$50.00	
Henry Hock, 12 hens	10.00	
Ruby Noyes, 17 fowl	16.60	
J. R. Bailey, 6 hens	5.00	
D. R. Jones, registering dog licenses	14.40	
	<hr/>	\$96.00
O'Connor & O'Connor, legal advice McKeown	\$150.00	
Ivory Eaton, legal advice McKeown	31.00	
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Health Department

Dr. Russel and H. Bethel, dental clinic	\$39.25	
City of Nashua, ambulance service	50.00	
Dr. Paul de Nicola, health officer and expense	62.87	
	<hr/>	\$152.12

Street Lights

Public Service Co., Reed's Ferry lights	\$88.48
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General Expense of Highway Department

Damage to automobile of William White	\$25.00
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Old Age Assistance

State Treasurer	\$1,752.47
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Aid to Soldiers

Food	\$231.39	
Fuel	59.41	
	<hr/>	\$290.80

Town Poor

Medical	\$322.00	
Hospital	490.85	
Food	56.76	
Fuel	36.22	
	<hr/>	\$907.83

Library

J. W. French, Treas. Library Trustees	\$1,000.00
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Memorial Day

P. Henry Cogger, cookies	\$5.50	
J. B. Varick Co., flags	18.10	
W. S. Abbott, ice cream	25.00	
T. P. Hagerty, wreaths	7.50	
	<hr/>	\$56.10

Parks and Playgrounds

H. A. Richardson, care of Gage lot, Town lot, Soldiers' monument	\$42.00
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Cemeteries

E. G. Weston, care of Center cemetery	\$15.00	
Harry Richardson, labor in cemeteries	98.25	
Harry Richardson, labor in cemeteries	21.50	
	<hr/>	\$134.75

Interest Paid

Indian Head National Bank, interest on town note	\$38.33
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Refunds

J. Wilson French, refund on 1940 taxes redeemed	\$40.00	
E. W. Carter, refund on 1st sale, Pontlonand Place	25.00	
	<hr/>	\$65.00

Temporary Loan

Indian Head National Bank, loan	\$6,000.00
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County Tax

Hillsboro County Treasurer	\$8,836.82
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School Money

J. N. Henderson, School Treasurer	\$19,082.36
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Discounts and Abatements

W. J. Foster, abatement on 1942 poll taxes	\$48.00
W. J. Foster, abatement on 1942 taxes	137.58

W. J. Foster, discounts 1942 taxes	731.04	
J. Wilson French, abatement, 1938	4.00	
J. Wilson French, abatement, 1939	8.00	
J. Wilson French, abatement, 1940	32.00	
J. Wilson French, abatement, 1941	236.91	
W. J. Foster, abatement, Fred Wilkin and Oswald Larocqe	34.83	
J. Wilson French, overdraft to town	39.62	
	<hr/>	\$1,271.98

Taxes Bought by the Town

J. Wilson French, 1941 taxes bought	\$3,312.09	
J. Wilson French, cost of tax sale	246.45	
	<hr/>	\$3,558.54

Town Road Aid

State Highway Department	\$972.37
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Miscellaneous

W. P. A.

E. W. Carter, labor and expense	\$12.00	
Geo. Carroll, labor and expense	12.00	
P. Henry Cogger, labor and expense	13.40	
	<hr/>	\$37.40
Florence Richardson Kittredge Trust fund		\$100.00
P. J. Duval, gas for grader in cemetery		\$4.56
Ricciadi-Hartshorn Post, one half exepnse operating lookout station		\$27.45

Maintenance North Side

Henry S. Stimson	\$2,499.74
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Maintenance South Side

Bert Gilmore	\$2,488.16
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Oil and Tar, North Side

Henry C. Stimson	\$3,971.40
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Oil and Tar, South Side

Bert Gilmore	\$3,276.27
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Snow and Sanding, North Side

Henry C. Stimson	\$990.47
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Snow and Sanding, South Side

Bert Gilmore	\$775.59
Repairs on Willow Bridge	\$1,107.07
Repairs on Seaverns Bridge	157.34

Total	<hr/> \$70,027.34
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HENRY STIMSON
Road Agent, North Side

1942 MAINTENANCE

Henry C. Stimson	\$642.35	
Trucks:		
E. J. Woodward	276.88	
Guy Watkins	155.03	
Labor:		
Edward Longa	54.69	
Fred Longa	71.78	
Jacob Longa	150.76	
Everett Longa	241.22	
William Longa	164.26	
Ralph Lynch	73.14	
George Longa	141.09	
Charles Longa	56.93	
William Trudeau	82.13	
E. J. Woodward	.45	
Thomas Watkins	1.80	
Tracy Raymond	16.43	
	<hr/>	2,128.94

Supplies

H. L. Jenkins, 6 scythes	\$1.50
J. R. Roux	2.80
R. C. Hazelton	8.28
Hume Pipe Co.	66.52
Country Stores, brooms	3.59
Lenz Hardware	8.45
Central Petroleum, oil and freight	44.20
H. L. Jenkins	59.84
J. Pynenburg	21.05
Amos Billson	30.45
H. R. Greenleaf, labor and greasing	39.79
Harry Martin	45.84
Gravel:	
William Watkins	15.00
Guy Watkins	6.90

E. J. Woodward	6.90	
Martin J. Hart	6.69	
Arthur Gordon	3.00	
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		370.80
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		\$2,499.74

1942 Willow Bridge

Henry C. Stimson	\$137.60	
Trucks:		
E. J. Woodward	78.76	
Guy Watkins	48.00	
Labor:		
George Longa	92.25	
Fred Longa	83.03	
William Longa	76.05	
Jacob Longa	45.45	
Tracy Raymond	51.98	
Everett Longa	47.25	
Ralph Lynch	3.60	
William Trudeau	3.60	
Supplies:		
Hume Pipe Co.	15.20	
H. R. Greenleaf	15.33	
J. A. Roux	2.55	
Jacob Longa	4.00	
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		\$704.65
Manchester Sand and Gravel,		
trucking and lumber	\$44.10	
Hubert Farms	170.64	
Tolles-Bickford Lumber Co.,		
lumber	173.23	
John B. Varick Co., cresote	9.45	
Osgood Const. Co., spikes	5.00	
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		402.42
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		\$1,107.07

1942 Seaverns Bridge

Henry C. Stimson	\$14.85
Truck:	
Guy Watkins	21.60

Labor:	
William Longa	10.80
George Longa	10.80
Edward Longa	10.80
Supplies:	
Tolles Lumber Co.	84.21
H. L. Jenkins, spikes	1.28
Charles Fields, watching bridge and care of lanterns	3.00
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	\$157.34

1942 Snow Removal and Sanding

Henry C. Stimson	\$106.11
Trucks:	
E. J. Woodward	350.09
Guy Watkins	234.05
Raymond Smith	140.10
Labor:	
W. R. McDonald	13.50
Elwin French	6.40
Raymond Hart	23.75
Fred Longa	.50
Ralph Lynch	4.05
William Longa	8.70
George Longa	7.20
Fred Woods, Jr.	8.10
Earnest Gamble	8.10
Everett Longa	42.70
Repairs on Snow Plows:	
Nashua Steam and Boiler Works	6.17
H. R. Greenleaf	2.35
R. C. Haselton Co.	26.10
Sand:	
E. J. Woodward	2.50
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	\$990.47

HENRY STIMSON
Road Agent, North Side

1942 Oil and Tar

Labor:

Henry C. Stimson, Agent	\$97.15
Tracy Raymond	32.85
Ralph Lynch	88.88
Everett Longa	131.30
Jacob Longa	121.50
George Longa	94.05
Fred Longa	70.65
William Longa	67.05
William Trudeau	10.80
Earnest Johnson	10.80
Samuel Lucier	32.40
Russell Dupelle	16.20
G. J. Cameron	3.60
Thomas Watkins	3.60
Elwin French	18.45
Robert Welch	14.18
Chas. Blood	13.73

\$827.19

Trucks:

E. J. Woodward	\$323.83
Guy Watkins	169.20

2493.03

Supplies:

Joseph Pynenburg	\$2.00
Howard Greenleaf	2.03
Mary Stowell	3.10
Koppers Products Co.	2,617.98
Merrimack Farmers Exchange	2.92
Hammar Hardware Co.	1.75
E. J. Woodward	10.70
Charles Russell	7.70
Guy Watkins	3.00

2,651.18

\$8,971.40

T. R. A.

Labor	\$1,677.15	
Oil	540.99	
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Total spent		\$2,218.14
Appropriation		\$2,186.51
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Overdrawn		\$31.63

State Town Road Aid, 1942

Bert E. Gilmore	\$16.50	
State grade	39.00	
Harry A. Decato, driver	27.55	
State grader	20.00	
William B. Walch, driver	9.60	
State roller	16.00	
Myron L. Goodbua, driver	21.60	
Howard R. Greenleaf, kerosene	1.95	
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Total		\$152.20
Oil		2,059.20
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Total spent		\$2,211.40
Appropriation		2,186.51
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Overdrawn		\$24.89

Oiling Roads, 1942

Bert Gilmore	\$89.38
Bert Gilmore, truck	119.20
Charles Tarr	90.63
Rolland L. Hill, driver	94.06
Grover C. Balduf, labor	18.00
William Truda, labor	27.45
George Longa, labor	14.40
William P. McQuesten, labor	72.68
Gustave Lafontaine, labor	14.40
Edward G. Weston, labor	60.31
John Pontbriand, labor	61.88
Dennis Donovan, labor	59.85
William R. Weston, labor	61.65
Charles Longa, labor	61.20

Harry Richardson, labor	40.73
George T. Davis, labor	43.88
Daniel H. Downes, labor	3.60
Charles Watkins, labor	24.75

Men and truck, total	\$958.05
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Expenses

Ray Road Equipment, sander hitch	\$13.00
Bert E. Gilmore, sand	18.80
Hume Pipe, sand	2.45

Total expenses	\$34.25
Men and trucks	958.05

Total	\$992.30
Oil	2,283.996

Total	\$3,276.296
Griffin oil	26.45

Grand Total	\$3,249.846
Oil appropriation	\$3,250.00
Spent	3,249.95

Balance	\$0.15
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Maintenance, 1942

Bert E. Gilmore	\$296.21
Bert E. Gilmore, truck	213.60
Patrick P. Levesque, truck	118.13
Rolland L. Hill, driver	269.24
Grover C. Balduf, labor	29.03
Charles Longa, labor	126.68
Arthur C. Levesque, labor	53.11
George E. Longa, labor	24.98
Clarence P. Worster, labor	7.20
August Cieslukwich, labor	7.20
William P. McQuesten, labor	180.01
Harry H. Richardson, labor	50.18
Gustave Lafontaine, labor	107.78
Edgar Lafontaine, labor	43.20

George T. Davis, labor	134.56
John Pontbriand, labor	76.95
Dennis Donovan, labor	144.90
William Truda, labor	55.35
William R. Weston, labor	144.50
George Lamphere, labor	6.30
Edward G. Weston, labor	40.95
Charles Watkins, labor	7.20
Morton E. Larro, labor	6.98
Tractor-Mowing machine	27.20

Men and truck total	\$2,171.84
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Expenses

R. C. Hazelton Co., grader blades and repairs	\$83.35
D. M. Richards, gas for grader	30.91
Harry C. Martin, oil for grader	15.80
Howard R. Greenleaf, gas, spark plugs, and labor for grader	34.16
Hume Pipe of N. E. Inc., concrete pipe and cement	10.82
John B. Varick, stone boat	14.85
General Mills Inc., two bush scythes	2.60
Philias I. Duval, gas for grader	6.09
Sears Roebuck & Co., tire for grader	14.54
Bert E. Gilmore, gravel, 187 loads	18.70
William L. Fuller, gravel, 17 loads	1.70
Amherst grader	82.80

Total expenses	\$316.32
Men and trucks	2,171.84

Total Spent	\$2,488.16
Appropriation	\$2,500.00
W. P. A. balance, 1941	109.33
Maintenance balance, 1941	31.10

Total	\$2,640.43
Total Spent	2,488.16

Balance	\$152.27
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Snow Bill**Snow**

Bert E. Gilmore	\$30.28	
Bert E. Gilmore, truck	191.20	
Patrick P. Levesque, truck	193.75	
Rolland L. Hill, driver	52.05	
Grover C. Balduf, labor	12.50	
James B. Guest, labor	12.25	
William R. Weston, labor	6.30	
Arthur C. Levesque, labor	19.25	
Morton E. Larro, labor	30.25	
George Lamphere, labor	4.00	
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Total		\$551.83

Expenses

Ray Road Equipment, S. P. blade and bolts	\$13.24	
Edmond E. Nadeau, labor on S. P. push rods	6.25	
R. C. Hazelton Co., repacking S. P. jack	3.08	
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Total Expenses		\$22.57
Men and trucks		551.83
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Snow Total		\$574.40

Sanding

Bert E. Gilmore	\$2.75
Bert E. Gilmore, truck	57.94
Rolland L. Hill, driver	37.00
Grover C. Balduf, labor	19.00
Francis Powell, labor	1.75
Norman Leonard, labor	1.75
George E. Longa, labor	13.00
George T. Davis, labor	2.75
Morton E. Larro, labor	13.00
Leon Larro, labor	8.25

William P. McQuesten, labor	11.50	
William R. McDonald, labor	6.50	
Total		\$175.19
	Expenses	
Bert E. Gilmore, sand	\$6.00	
Osgood Construction Co., cal. chloride	20.00	
Total Expenses		\$26.00
Men and trucks		175.19
Sanding Total		\$201.19
Snow Total		574.40
Grand Total		\$775.59

REPORT OF THE TOWN FORESTRY COMMITTEE

Cash on hand January 31, 1942	\$139.15
Interest added in 1942	2.09
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Balance on hand January 31, 1943	\$141.24

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR GORDON,
JOHN W. WRIGHT,
E. W. CARTER,
GEO. W. CARROLL,
BERT L. PEASLEE,
Town Forest Committee.

SHEDD-HARRIS MEMORIAL WATER SYSTEM

Cash on hand:	
Amoskeag National Bank	\$12.51
Amoskeag Savings Bank	37.60
Cash in hands of treasurer	585.04
Operating report:	
Revenue collected November 30, 1941	
to November 30, 1942	950.85
Outstanding accounts November 30, 1942	597.31
Operating expenses	507.55
Payment on loan	240.65
Interest on loan	7.20
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Total expended	\$754.80

GEORGE W. CARROLL,
Chairman Committee.
ARTHUR G. GORDON,
JOHN W. WRIGHT,
EDWARD W. CARTER,
FRANKLIN L. HASELTINE.

Report of the Trust Funds of the Town of Merrimack, N. H., on January 31, 1943

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Date of Creation	TRUST FUNDS— PURPOSE OF CREATION	HOW INVESTED	Amount of Principal	Rate of Interest	Balance of Income on Hand at Beginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Balance of Income on Hand at End of Year
CEMETERY FUNDS								
1924	John Anderson, Cemetery Fund	..... Amoskeag Savings Bank	\$100.00	2 1/2	\$.24	\$ 2.53	\$ 2.50	\$.27
1919	Jennie Arthur, Cemetery Fund	..... Manchester Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	.34	2.53	2.75	.12
1921	Perley E. Austin, Cemetery Fund	..... Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	2.75	2.60	4.00	1.35
1929	Mary E. Anderson, Cemetery Fund	..... Amoskeag Savings Bank	50.00	2 1/2	.15	1.26	1.25	.16
1915	W. A. Barker, Cemetery Fund	..... Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	1.76	2.57	3.00	1.33
1906	Reuben Barnes, Cemetery Fund	..... Manchester Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	7.94	2.73	5.00	5.67
1924	Herman O. Bean, Cemetery Fund	..... Amoskeag Savings Bank	150.00	2 1/2	3.15	3.88	5.00	2.03
1924	Willie E. Betterley, Cemetery Fund	..... Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	6.5	2.53	3.00	2.18
1898	James W. Blood, Cemetery Fund	..... Manchester Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	4.51	2.64	4.50	2.65
1912	Horatio O. Bowers, Cemetery Fund	..... Manchester Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	1.28	1.29	1.75	.82
1912	David H. Boynton, Cemetery Fund	..... Manchester Savings Bank	50.00	2 1/2	.81	1.67	4.00	.61
1940	Pearl Babkirk, Cemetery Fund	..... Manchester Savings Bank	150.00	2 1/2	.....	3.80	1.67	.....
1941	Petsey Barnes, Cemetery Fund	..... Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	.....	1.67	1.67	.....
1912	Turessa A. Clark, Cemetery Fund	..... Manchester Savings Bank	200.00	2 1/2	85.92	7.22	10.00	83.14
1929	Elvord G. Chamberlin, Cem. Fund	..... Manchester Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	.17	2.52	2.50	.19
1932	Alvin G. Cheever, Cemetery Fund	..... Manchester Savings Bank	150.00	2 1/2	1.31	3.82	4.00	1.13
1936	Ida F. Cotton, Cemetery Fund	..... Manchester Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	.50	2.53	2.75	.28
1937	Corning-Merrill, Cemetery Fund	..... Manchester Savings Bank	130.00	2 1/2	.30	3.28	3.25	.33
1939	Roseanna J. Dow, Cemetery Fund	..... Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	.43	2.53	2.75	.21
1926	Matthew Dickey, Cemetery Fund	..... Manchester Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	.60	2.53	2.75	.38
1916	Hazen G. Dodge, Cemetery Fund	..... Amoskeag Savings Bank	150.00	2 1/2	1.41	3.82	4.00	1.23
1928	James B. Elliott, Cemetery Fund	..... Manchester Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	2.63	2.59	4.25	.97
1916	Herman S. and Susan H. Fields, Cem.	..... Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	.37	2.53	2.75	.15
1923	Levi Fisher, Cemetery Fund	..... Amoskeag Savings Bank	200.00	2 1/2	4.59	5.18	7.00	2.77
1920	S. C. Follansbee, Cemetery Fund	..... Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	3.48	2.61	4.00	2.09
1919	James W. Fosdick, Cemetery Fund	..... Manchester Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	10.59	2.81	5.00	8.40
1912	John D. Fraser, Cemetery Fund	..... Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	.18	2.52	2.50	.20
1926	Joseph H. Foster, Cemetery Fund	..... Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	.32	2.52	2.75	.09
1930	Samuel Fuller, Cemetery Fund	..... Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	.21	2.52	2.50	.23
1933	Washington W. Follansbee Cem. Fund	..... Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	2.39	2.58	2.75	2.22
1940	J. Frank Foster, Cemetery Fund	..... Amoskeag Savings Bank	100.00	2 1/2	.27	3.79	3.50	.56
1942	Mattie A. Foskett, Cemetery Fund	..... Amoskeag Savings Bank	200.00	2 1/2	.....	.....	.....	.....
1942	and Power Co.				.....	1.50	.....	1.50
1942	Rockland Light				.....	.....	.....	.....

1922	Augustus L. Gilson, Cemetery Fund .. Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	100.00	2 1/2	1.45	2.56	3.00	1.01
1924	Arthur G. Gordon, Cemetery Fund .. Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	100.00	2 1/2	3.22	2.61	4.00	1.93
1918	Martha F. Green, Cemetery Fund .. Manchester Savings Bank ..	100.00	2 1/2	18.81	8.06	3.00	17.37
1927	Sarah F. Griffin, Cemetery Fund .. Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	300.00	2 1/2	1.19	2.52	9.00	17.20
1926	George B. Griffin, Cemetery Fund .. Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	100.00	2 1/2	1.03	2.56	2.50	1.09
1939	Mary A. Gordon, Cemetery Fund .. Manchester Savings Bank ..	100.00	2 1/2	12.87	2.86	5.50	10.23
1917	Horace S. Gould, Cemetery Fund .. Manchester Savings Bank ..	100.00	2 1/2	24.06	3.14	5.50	21.70
1908	Alice Gray, Cemetery Fund .. Manchester Savings Bank ..	100.00	2 1/2	.18	2.52	2.50	.20
1932	George T. Gilmore, Cemetery Fund .. Manchester Savings Bank ..	100.00	2 1/2	.59	2.53	2.75	.37
1939	James E. Hale, Cemetery Fund .. Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	150.00	2 1/2	6.23	3.96	4.75	5.44
1924	David E. Henderson, Cemetery Fund .. Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	50.00	2 1/2	1.17	1.28	1.75	.70
1921	Hannah E. Henderson, Cem. Fund .. Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	100.00	2 1/2	1.21	2.56	3.50	.27
1921	Henry F. Herrick, Cemetery Fund .. Manchester Savings Bank ..	200.00	2 1/2	9.49	5.31	7.50	7.30
1913	Isaac A. Hodgman, Cemetery Fund .. Manchester Savings Bank ..	100.00	2 1/2	31.37	3.34	8.50	26.21
1917	Isaac A. Hodgman, Cemetery Fund .. Manchester Savings Bank ..	150.00	2 1/2	3.50	3.89	5.00	2.39
1915	J. B. Hood, Cemetery Fund .. Manchester Savings Bank ..	52.00	2 1/2	9.22	1.56	3.00	7.78
1918	Beniah Graves Harmon, Cem. Fund .. Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	100.00	2 1/2	.16	2.52	2.50	.18
1931	Harrison E. Herrick, Cemetery Fund .. Manchester Savings Bank ..	100.00	2 1/2	17.72	2.52	2.50	.19
1932	Dana R. & Flora E. Hutchinson, Cem. .. Manchester Savings Bank ..	100.00	2 1/2	15.72	2.90	..	18.62
1936	Leslie C. Hunter, Cemetery Fund .. Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	150.00	2 1/2	.99	3.80	4.00	.79
1937	Clarence L. Hill, Cemetery Fund .. Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	150.00	2 1/2	.62	3.80	4.00	.42
1938	Fremont Hill, Cemetery Fund .. Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	150.00	2 1/2	17.85	25.64	10.00	33.49
1939	Norris E. Henderson, Cemetery Fund .. Manchester Savings Bank ..	1,000.00	2 1/2	..	2.51	..	2.51
1941	George E. Henson, Cemetery Fund .. Manchester Savings Bank ..	100.00	2 1/2	..	5.03	4.75	.28
1941	Daniel T. Ingalls, Cemetery Fund .. Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	200.00	2 1/2	.74	2.55	3.00	.29
1910	Fannie A. Ingalls, Cemetery Fund .. Manchester Savings Bank ..	100.00	2 1/2	1.69	2.36	3.25	1.00
1918	Louise M. Jones, Cemetery Fund .. Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	100.00	2 1/2	1.62	1.30	1.75	1.17
1922	Louise M. Jones, Cemetery Fund .. Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	50.00	2 1/2	1.62	1.30	2.75	.21
1907	George H. Jones, Cemetery Fund .. Manchester Savings Bank ..	100.00	2 1/2	.43	2.53	2.50	.28
1931	Albert A. Jenkins, Cemetery Fund .. Manchester Savings Bank ..	100.00	2 1/2	.26	2.52	2.50	.40
1940	Jones-Hoffman, Cemetery Fund .. Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	150.00	2 1/2	2.51	3.83	4.25	2.09
1921	John M. Keep, Cemetery Fund .. Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	100.00	2 1/2	5.77	2.68	4.00	2.45
1922	George W. Kimball, Cemetery Fund .. Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	100.00	2 1/2	.76	2.55	3.00	.31
1932	Anne King, Cemetery Fund .. Manchester Savings Bank ..	100.00	2 1/2	.49	2.53	2.75	.27
1938	Catherine H. Kittredge, Cem. Fund .. Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	200.00	2 1/2	.32	5.06	5.00	.38
1939	Eri & Lucretia Kittredge, Cem. Fund .. Manchester Savings Bank ..	100.00	2 1/2	.46	2.54	2.75	.25
1942	Walter Kittredge, Cemetery Fund .. Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	100.00	2 1/2	..	.21	..	.21
1926	Charles G. Lawrence, Cemetery Fund .. Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	200.00	2 1/2	16.07	5.47	6.50	15.04
1921	Henry A. Lawrence, Cemetery Fund .. Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	100.00	2 1/2	4.21	2.63	3.00	3.84
1936	Leon E. Longa, Cemetery Fund .. Manchester Savings Bank ..	150.00	2 1/2	.71	3.80	4.00	.51
1915	Robert Mears, Cemetery Fund .. Manchester Savings Bank ..	200.00	2 1/2	50	5.07	5.00	.57
1915	William P. Melvin, Cemetery Fund .. Manchester Savings Bank ..	300.00	2 1/2	40.08	8.60	8.00	40.68
1920	Iohn Merriam, Cemetery Fund .. Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	100.00	2 1/2	.91	2.55	3.00	.46
1928	Mary Fuller Merrill, Cemetery Fund .. Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	100.00	2 1/2	1.32	2.56	3.00	.88
1914	W. D. Mitchell, Cemetery Fund .. Manchester Savings Bank ..	100.00	2 1/2	.92	2.55	3.00	.47
1917	George W. Moulton, Cemetery Fund .. Manchester Savings Bank ..	100.00	2 1/2	.66	2.53	2.75	.44
1928	Dr. Edwin Hart Merriam, Cem. Fund .. Amoskeag Savings Bank ..	100.00	2 1/2	.41	2.53	2.75	.19

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1934	Hannah Mears, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag	100.00	2½	33	2.52	2.50	.35
1913	McClure, Cemetery Fund	Savings Bank	300.00	2½	13.52	7.94	11.00	10.46
1924	McGaw, Cemetery Fund	Savings Bank	100.00	2½	.35	2.53	2.75	.13
1925	J. L. McIntire, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag	100.00	2½	.19	2.52	2.50	.21
1929	Simon & John McGilvray, Cem. Fund	Amoskeag	200.00	2½	.73	5.08	5.00	.81
1912	Charles S. Nesmith, Cemetery Fund	Manchester	200.00	2½	16.38	5.48	8.00	13.86
1923	Lucy C. Nichols, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag	100.00	2½	1.57	2.56	3.00	1.13
1924	Mathew P. Nichols, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag	100.00	2½	.46	2.53	2.75	.24
1929	Sullivan Nesmith, Cemetery Fund	Manchester	100.00	2½	.45	2.53	2.75	.23
1919	Charles W. Parker, Cemetery Fund	Manchester	50.00	2½	12.31	1.58	3.00	10.89
1924	Frank E. Parker, Cemetery Fund	Savings Bank	100.00	2½	.60	1.28	1.50	.38
1916	Laura E. Parker, Cemetery Fund	Manchester	100.00	2½	4.51	2.64	3.50	3.65
1927	George S. Parkhurst, Cemetery Fund	Manchester	200.00	2½	3.64	5.15	6.00	2.79
1920	Alma S. Patterson, Cemetery Fund	Manchester	100.00	2½	5.07	2.66	3.50	4.23
1917	Betsy J. Patterson, Cemetery Fund	Manchester	50.00	2½	4.29	1.37	3.00	2.66
1917	Betsy J. Patterson, Cemetery Fund	Manchester	100.00	2½	5.89	2.67	3.25	5.31
1918	Warren W. Pillsbury, Cemetery Fund	Manchester	100.00	2½	.80	2.56	3.00	.36
1929	Thomas Parker, Heirs, Cem. Fund	Manchester	150.00	2½	4.97	3.90	4.00	4.87
1934	Ward & Everett Parker, Cem. Fund	Manchester	150.00	2½	.53	3.80	4.00	.33
1926	Lewis J. Read, Cemetery Fund	Manchester	100.00	2½	...	2.51	2.50	.01
1925	Luther Read, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag	100.00	2½	.42	2.52	2.75	.19
1924	Franklin A. Roberts, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag	100.00	2½	.16	2.52	2.50	.18
1915	Franklin T. Seaverns, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag	100.00	2½	.57	2.53	2.75	.35
1924	Isaac Coombs Shedd, Cemetery Fund	Manchester	300.00	2½	1.50	2.56	3.25	.81
1921	Elizabeth Boyson Shedd, Cem. Fund	Manchester	200.00	2½	2.94	8.18	11.00	20.12
1917	Daniel H. Smith, Cemetery Fund	Manchester	200.00	2½	3.15	5.24	7.00	5.55
1922	Souhegan Lodge, I.O.O.F. Cem. Fund	Amoskeag	200.00	2½	7.19	5.24	7.00	5.13
1928	John E. & Herman M. Stowell, Cem. ...	Amoskeag	100.00	2½	.53	2.75	2.75	.57
1932	L. E. Sanderson, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag	100.00	2½	.25	2.52	2.50	.27
1918	Moses Truett, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag	250.00	2½	.48	10.95	7.00	26
1930	James S. Thornton Post, G.A.R., Cem. ...	Manchester	184.01	2½	...	...	...	187.96
1921	M. W. Wallace & D. Barnes, Cem. Fund	Amoskeag	100.00	2½	.50	2.53	2.75	.28

1920	James Walch, Cemetery Fund	Mancheater Savings Bank	2 1/2	3.15	2.61	4.00	1.76
1925	Leonard Walker, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	2 1/2	.54	2.53	2.75	.32
1916	George & Eliza Watkins, Cemetery Fund	Mancheater Savings Bank	2 1/2	9.72	5.31	8.00	7.03
1926	George W. M. West, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	2 1/2	.12	2.52	2.50	1.14
1927	Ellen Wheeler, Cemetery Fund	Mancheater Savings Bank	2 1/2	1.65	5.09	5.50	1.24
1922	Jane M. Wilkins, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	2 1/2	.93	2.55	2.75	.73
1910	Henry J. Wilson, Cemetery Fund	Mancheater Savings Bank	2 1/2	.62	2.53	2.75	.40
1922	Elizabeth A. Wood, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	2 1/2	.30	2.52	2.50	.32
1914	A. McC. Wilkins, Cemetery Fund	Mancheater Savings Bank	2 1/2	3.82	2.62	4.00	2.44
1928	Thomas H. Watkins, Cemetery Fund	Mancheater Savings Bank	2 1/2	1.35	2.56	2.75	1.16
1937	William Wells, Cemetery Fund	Mancheater Savings Bank	2 1/2	.37	2.52	2.75	.14
1938	Jeremiah Woods, Cemetery Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	2 1/2	.55	2.53	2.75	.33
1942	Charles and Isabelle A. Watkins, Cemetery Fund	Mancheater Savings Bank	2 1/2	....	....	....	....
1941	Charles F. Young, Cemetery Fund	Mancheater Savings Bank	2 1/2	1.25	3.80	4.00	1.05
	Total			\$712.02	\$420.90	\$471.42	\$661.50
LIBRARY FUNDS							
1926	Charles G. Lawrence, Library Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	2 1/2	....	\$12.66	\$12.66	....
1921	Henry A. Lawrence, Library Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	2 1/2	....	1.52	1.52	....
1921	Henry A. Lawrence, Library Fund	U. S. Treasury Bond	3 1/4	....	16.25	16.25	....
1917	Betsy Patterson, Library Fund	Mancheater Savings Bank	2 1/2	....	3.78	3.78	....
	Total			....	\$34.21	\$34.21	....
SCHOOL FUNDS							
1884	Jane N. Gage, School Fund	Mancheater Savings Bank	2 1/2	....	\$36.08	\$36.08	....
1884	Joseph Gage, School Fund	U. S. Treasury Bonds	2 7/8	....	60.38	60.38	....
1884	Joseph Gage, School Fund	U. S. Treasury Bonds	3	....	90.00	90.00	....
1884	Joseph Gage, School Fund	U. S. Treasury Bonds	3 1/4	....	35.75	35.75	....
1884	Joseph Gage, School Fund	Mancheater Savings Bank	2 1/2	....	76.20	76.20	....
1884	Joseph Gage, School Fund	Mancheater Savings Bank	2 1/2	....	25.48	25.48	....
1884	Joseph Gage, School Fund	Mancheater Savings Bank	2 1/2	....	50.62	50.62	....
1884	Joseph Gage, School Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	2 1/2	....	68.66	68.66	....
1926	Charles G. Lawrence, School Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	2 1/2	....	25.31	25.31	....
1921	Henry A. Lawrence, School Fund	Amoskeag Savings Bank	2 1/2	....	1.52	1.52	....
1921	Henry A. Lawrence, School Fund	U. S. Treasury Bonds	2 7/8	....	14.38	14.38	....
1913	McClure, School Fund	Mancheater Savings Bank	2 1/2	....	12.66	12.66	....
	Total			....	\$497.04	\$497.04	....
				....	\$18,415.98		

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief. Dated January 31, 1943.

JOHN WRIGHT,
FLORENCE E. RICHARDSON,
Trustees.

MERRIMACK PUBLIC LIBRARY

Library Trustees Report

Cash on hand February 1, 1942	\$286.36
Orders on town	1,000.00
Interest on Betsy Patterson Fund	3.78
Interest on Henry Lawrence Fund	17.77
Interest on Charles Lawrence Fund	12.66
Fines, donations and books sold	25.74
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	\$1,346.31
Library salaries	\$513.65
Books and magazines	330.07
Fuel	49.07
Water	25.03
Lights	26.40
Supplies	6.50
Insurance	33.00
Repairs	36.00
Balance on hand	326.59
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	\$1,346.31

FRANKLIN L. HASELTINE,
 J. WILSON FRENCH,
Library Trustees.

LIBRARY REPORT

Number of books in the library	8,136
Number of books added by purchase	268
Number of books added by gift	20
Number of books discarded	37
Number of books lost	4
Number of books loaned	8,112
Number of magazines loaned	1,485
Number of books sent South Merrimack	106
Number of books loaned from South Merrimack....	44
Whole number of books and magazines loaned	9,747
Number of cards issued	33

We close our year's work wishing that a greater number of townspeople could have use of the books and magazines in the library. There is material of interest for everyone, if not, we endeavor to meet the demand.

We regret that Mrs. Ida Watkins, Assistant Librarian for the past five years, left town and resigned the position which she filled so acceptably.

The library was opened again this year for the Community Club's observance of library afternoon with Reed's Ferry Woman's Club and friends as guests. Rev. Frederick W. Addison of Milford addressed the meeting and afternoon tea was served.

Adult Fiction

Aldridge—Signed with their honor	Becholdt—Riot at Red Water
Alderson—A bride goes west	Benet—James Shore's daughter (gift, L. Cornwall)
Aldrich—The Lieutenant's lady	Bellamann—King's row (gift, Hazel Fisk)
Ambler—Journey into fear	Blizard—The moon in Aries
Ayers—Little and good	Blizard—Wings for Juliet
Baldwin—And new stars burn	Bosworth—Wherever the grass grows
Balzac—Balzac's works	Buck—Dragon seed
Bassett—Sea magic	
Bayne—Agent extraordinary	

- Cannon—Look to the mountain
 Carpenter—The rise of Terry Schuman
 Carr—Emperor's snuff box
 Chartis—Saint vs. Scotland Yard
 Chevalier—Drivin' woman
 Clemon—Lure of distant trails
 Coolidge—Ranger Two Rifles
 Corbett—Kimball collection
 Couzzens—The just and the unjust
 Curry—The Morman trail
 Davis—Rio kid justice
 Disney—30 days hath September
 Domer—Not by bread
 Douglass—The robe
 Dresser—Death rides the Pecos
 du Maurrier—Frenchman's creek
 Eberhardt—Moving finger
 Edmonds—Young Ames
 Emerson—Vendetta of the hills (gift, Roy Jones)
 Fair—Spill the Jack pot
 Fedrova—Children
 Field—Guns from Powder Valley
 Fisher—Cathedrals in the sun
 Flak—Thunder birds
 Fletcher—Rawleigh's Eden
 Fleury—Faith the root
 Foster—Dust of the trail
 Garth—Thunder bird
 Greig—Honeymoon alone
 Grey—Lost wagon train
 Griswold—Sea island lady
 Groseclose—Fire Drake
 Hall—Men without country
 Halstead—Tomorrow fair
 Harriman—The career of Philip Hazen
 Hart—Dr. Finley sees it through
 Hattman—Death at Windward Hill (gift, G. Teel)
 Hauck—Lance falls in love
 Heyer—Faro's daughter
 Hill—Cloudy jewel
 Hobart—The cup and the sword
 Holbrook—None more courageous
 Holton—All sails set
 Homer—Glass mountain
 Howard—Tomorrow's hero
 Innes—Attack alarm
 Jennings—Gentleman ranker
 Jepson—Keep murder quiet
 Keyes—Crescent carnival
 Keys—All that glitters
 Knight—Affair of the black sombrero
 Laing—Great ghost stories of the world
 Lancaster—Bright to the wanderer
 Lane—Walk into my parlor
 Lanham—Thunder in the earth
 Larrimore—Robin Hill
 Lecardel—The uninvited
 Leifert—Army doctor
 Leslie—Arizona ranger courage
 Longstreet—Decade
 Longstreet—The golden touch
 Lomax—Gringo gunfire
 Loring—Rainbow at dusk

- MacIennan—Barometer
 rising
 MacGlashan—Horseless
 buggy
 MacInnes—Assignment in
 Brittany
 Marquard—Last laugh Mr.
 Moto
 Marsh—Death at the bar
 Maugham—Hour before the
 dawn
 Maugham—The moon and
 sixpence
 McCulley—Gold of Smoky
 Mesa
 Mead—Little Oscar's first
 air raid
 Meyer—A sentimental
 Yankee
 Miller—Dark lightning
 Miller—Long after midnight
 Morley—Thunder on the left
 (gift, L. Cornwell)
 Norris—Come back to me
 beloved
 Parmenter—A golden age
 Pedler—Then came the test
 Pethbone—Light down
 stranger
 Queen—Calamity town
 Rienhart—Haunted lady
 Ritner—Shelter without
 walls
 Roberts—They wanted to
 live
 Robertson—Moon tide
 Rohmer—Island of Fu
 Manchu
 Russell—Adventures of the
 D. C. I. (gift, Roy Jones)
 Schley—My dear Elaine
 Scott—The cow puncher
 Seghers—Seventh cross
 Shute—Pied Piper
 Slaughter—Spencer Brade,
 M. D.
 Smith—Man in grey
 Stagge—Turn of the table
 Steel—Imposter
 Stewart—Storm
 Stoddard—Trapper of Rat
 River
 Stoddard—Devils portage
 Suckow—New hope
 Teilbert—Trouble is my
 master
 Terrell—Plume Rouge
 Tolstov—War and peace
 Vance—Reprisal
 VanDoren—Drums of
 morning
 Wallace—Clue of the new
 pin (gift, L. Cornwell)
 Wallis—Once off guard
 Walpole—Killer and the
 slain
 Warren—Reunion in Reno
 White—Stampede
 Widmer—Lover's alibi
 Wilde—Tinsley's bones
 Williams—The costs of folly
 Willock—5-30 to midnight
 Young—Red Clark takes a
 hand

Juvenile Fiction

- Allen—The green cockade
 Anderson—Anderson fairy
 tales (gift, Virginia Pin-
 enburg)
 Bannerman—Little black
 Sambo
 Bannerman—Three little
 pigs

- Barnet—Fire beads
 Bonner—Sir Noble, police horse
 Brown—Crazy quilt
 Burgess—Wishing stone stories
 Burgess—Reddy fox
 Chalmers—Hundreds and hundreds of pan cakes
 Coey—Red feather
 Coey—Little Indian
 Edmonds—Matchlock gun
 Goss—Tom Clifton (gift, Roy Jones)
 Griss—Red caravan
 Heyward—Ameliaranne and the green umbrella goes traveling
 Hildreth—Enchanting stories
 Hildreth—The story road
 Hildreth—Good stories
 Hildreth—Fun in story
 Jones—Christmas is coming
 Kane—Tale of the white foot mouse
 Keene—Mysterious fireplace
 Kilmer—Emmy, Nick and Greg
 Kingston—Fifty famous fairy tales (gift, J. Pinenburg)
 Lathimore—Clever cat
 Lenski—Arabella and the Aunts
 Malory—Polly, Prue and Penny
 McCloskey—Make way for ducklings
 Meader—Shadow in the pines
 Memmen—The buttons go walking
 Olds—Victoria clicks
 Orton—Secret of the rose-wood box
 Reed—Three little kittens
 Reed—The poky little puppy
 Rounds—Blind colt
 Seuiss—And to think I saw it on Mulberry St.
 Snell—Under the chewing gum tree
 Swift—Little red light house
 Tregarthen—The doll who came alive
 Tousey—Stage coach Sam
 Tousey—Bob and the railroad
 Tousey—Buffalo Bill
 Watson—Top kick, U. S. army horse
 White—Training Sylvia

Adult Non-Fiction

- Anderson—Days grow cold
 Andrews—Mahatma Gandhi's ideas
 Baarslag—Island of adventure
 Barber—Restless ramparts
 Brooks—Soldiers collection of poems and ballads
 Carroll—What price alcohol?
 Chase—Past Imperfect
 Cion—Japan's dream of world empire
 Clapesattle—Doctors, Mayo
 Clevenger—Modern flight

- Comfort—Just among friends
 Dakin—Simplified nursing
 Danes—Mission to Moscow
 Dennison—Fun for all—ideas for parties
 de Poncens—Kabloona
 Dept. Agriculture—Climate and man (gift, State dept.)
 de Seversky—Victory through air power
 Duguid—Green hell
 Dutton—duPont
 Fite—Copesbury shower book
 Fleisher—Volcanic Isle
 Forbes—Paul Revere
 Frost—A witness tree (gift, Reed's Ferry Woman's Club)
 Gessler—Tropic landfall
 Goss—Colonial gravestone inscriptions
 Gould—Early American woodenware
 Graham & Cleveland—Aviation annual 41-42
 Grattan—Introducing Australia
 Gunther—Inside Latin America
 Hargrove—See here Private Hargrove
 Hindus—We shall meet again
 Hart—George Washington Carver
 Hoover & Gibson—Problems of lasting peace
 House building Guide—Small homes guide
 Johnson—Four years in Paradise
 Kanner—In defense of mothers
 Kent—Mrs. Appleyards year
 Kiplinger—Washington is like that
 Koestler—Dialogue with death
 Kopf—Windows in life
 Kozlensko—One hundred non royalty plays (gift, R. F. Woman's Club)
 Lengyell—Dakar
 London—Cruise of the Snark
 MacPherson—I heard the Anzacs singing
 Marquis—Alfred I. duPont (gift, Mrs. duPont)
 McGinley—A pocket full of wry
 Mielche—Journey to the world's end
 Miller—Fares please
 Nevins—John D. Rockefeller (gift of author) 2 vols.
 Ott—Aircraft spotter
 Powell—Coast Guard
 Rawlings—Cross Creek
 Rawson—N. H. borns a town (gift, Community Club)
 Rich—We took to the woods
 Russell—Philosophy (gift, L. Cornwell)
 Scott—Bulfinches age of fable
 Shredharani—My India, My America
 Skelley—Modern fine glass
 Skinner—Soap behind the ears
 Steinbeck—Moon is down

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| St. John—From the land of
silent people | Williams—The Russians |
| Trumbull—The raft | Zim—Submarines |
| Tschiffely—Tschiffely's ride | Zim—Parachutes |
| Vespa—Secret agent of
Japan | Garden Book, outdoor furni-
ture, back lawns, gardens,
fireplaces |
| Wenger—First aid primer | Papers of U. S. S. Corpora-
tion, 3 vol. (gift. of Cor-
poration) |
| White—Covered bridges of
N. H. | |
| Whitman—Leaves of grass | |

Children's Non-Fiction

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| Baker—He wouldn't be
king, story of Simon
Boliver | Lund—Story of time |
| Evert—United States Army | Lynde—Science experiments
with ten cent store equip-
ment |
| Fast—Goethals and the
Panama Canal | Matschat—American but-
terflies and moths |
| Gilmore—Model planes for
beginners | Needham—Introducing in-
sects (gift R. F. Woman's
Club) |
| Grimm—Junior aviation
science | Pyne—Little history of
United States |
| Henry—Argentina | Schmidt—Our friendly ani-
mals and whence they
came |
| Henry—Brazil | Tappan—When Knights
were bold |
| Henry—Chili | |
| Henry—Panama | |
| Lemming—Fun with spring | |
| Lent—Air patrol | |

Periodicals

American	Our Dumb Animals (gift,
American Home (gift, Bea-	Society)
trice Calnan)	Readers Digest
Better Homes and Gardens	Recruting News (gift,
Bulletin of the Public	Army)
Libraries of N. H.	Red Book
Boy's Life (gift, Boy	Time (gift, Mr. and Mrs.
Scouts)	Haseltine)
Child Life	Travelers Standard
Cosmopolitan	Troubador
Good Housekeeping	United States News (gift,
Jack and Jill	Mr. and Mrs. Haseltine)
Ladies Home Journal	Womans Home Companion
Life	Yankee
National Geographic (gift,	Hobbies
Miss Elizabeth Taylor)	Home Beautiful
Nature Magazine	N. H. Reports
News Week	

MARGUERITE M. HENDERSON,
Librarian.

AUDITORS' REPORT

Merrimack, N. H.

We have examined the accounts of Selectmen, Treasurer, Tax Collector, Town Clerk, Library Committee, Water System Committee and Trust Fund Trustees for the year ending January 31, 1943 and find the receipts correctly cast and payments properly vouched with exceptions noted.

BERT L. PEASLEE,
HAZEL L. WHITE,
Auditors.

February 23, 1943

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF MERRIMACK

SCHOOL WARRANT

To the Inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Merrimack qualified to vote in District Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said District on the 6th day of March, 1943 at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a member of the school board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the school board and truant officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.
6. To hear the reports of agents, auditors, committees, or officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose agents, auditors and committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
8. To see if the district will vote to make any alteration in the amount of money required to be assessed for the ensuing year for the support of public schools and the payment of the statutory obligations of the district, as determined by the school board in its annual report.
9. To choose a member of the school board for the ensuing two years.

Given under our hands at said Merrimack this 19th
day of February, 1943.

CLAUDE M. MAKER,
DAVID R. JONES,
MARY E. HERRICK.
School Board.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

CLAUDE M. MAKER,
DAVID R. JONES,
MARY E. HERRICK.
School Board.

SCHOOL TREASURER'S REPORT

For the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1942

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Balance in treasury, July 1, 1941	\$103.02
Received from:	
Selectmen, appropriation	18,826.71
Selectmen, dog tax	155.65
State Treasurer, state aid	3,313.26
State Treasurer, federal funds	158.62
Amherst School District, tuition	186.00
Papercrafters Inc., refund	3.50
Trustees of Trust Funds:	
Income from:	
Gage funds	443.16
Henry Lawrence fund	15.89
Charles Lawrence fund	25.31
McClure fund	12.66
	\$23,243.78

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By orders of School Board	\$23,063.21
By balance in treasury	180.57
	\$23,243.78

JOSIAH N. HENDERSON,
School Treasurer.

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that I have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the Treasurer of the School District of Merrimack of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1942, and find them correct in all respects.

BEULAH M. HASELTINE,
Auditor.

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER

For the Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1942

Cash on hand June 30, 1941 (Treasurer's bank balance)		\$103.02
Received from selectmen, appropriations for current year	\$18,826.71	
Dog tax	155.65	
Income from trust funds	497.02	
Received from State Treasurer	3,471.88	
Received from all other sources	189.50	
	<hr/>	23,140.76
Total amount available for Fiscal Year		\$23,243.78
Less School Board Orders Paid		23,063.21
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Balance on hand as of June 30, 1942		\$180.57

JOSIAH N. HENDERSON,
District Treasurer.

June 30, 1942

AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the Treasurer of the School District of Merrimack, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1942 and find them correct in all respects.

BEULAH HASELTINE,
Auditor.

July 24, 1942

RETURN OF DISTRICT REVENUE, 1942

School District of Merrimack

Support of schools:		
School Board budget of		
necessary expenses of In-		
struction, Operation, and		
Special Activities:		
High	\$4,659.50	
Elementary	14,139.97	
	<hr/>	\$18,799.47
Other Statutory Requirements:		
Salaries of district officers	\$241.00	
Truant officer and school census	45.00	
Superintendent's excess salary	350.00	
\$2 per capita tax for supervision	606.00	
Tuition in high schools and		
academies	1,900.00	
Other obligations	480.00	
	<hr/>	3,622.00
Total amount of school board's budget		
and special appropriations made by		
district		\$22,421.47
Deduction for estimated income of dis-		
trict from sources other than current		
taxation		4,354.47
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Amount to be raised by taxation for		
budget and appropriations		\$18,067.00

CERTIFICATES

I certify that the above is a correct statement of the obligations authorized, and the amounts to be assessed to meet statutory requirements and appropriations made at the annual meeting of the Merrimack school district held March 7, 1942.

FRANCIS W. BEAN,
Clerk of the School District.

March 7, 1942

To the State Board of Education:

I certify that the above is a correct statement of the financial proceedings of the district for 1942, and that copies of this statement have been filed with the chairman of the board of selectmen and entered in the records of the school board.

CLAUDE M. MAKER,
Chairman of the School Board.

March 14, 1942

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE MERRIMACK SCHOOL DISTRICT

July 1, 1941 to July 1, 1942

Receipts

From the State:		
Equalization fund for elementary schools	\$3,313.26	
Vocational education	158.62	
	<hr/>	\$3,471.88
From Taxation:		
Support of elementary schools	\$9,500.21	
Support of high school	4,503.50	
Payment of high school tuition	1,800.00	
Salaries of district officers	241.00	
Payment of per capita tax	548.00	
Other obligations	834.00	
Special appropriations	1,400.00	
	<hr/>	18,826.71
From Sources Other than Taxation:		
Dog licenses	\$155.65	
Elementary school tuitions	186.00	
Income from local trust funds	497.02	
Other receipts—refunds	3.50	
	<hr/>	842.17
Total receipts from all sources		<hr/> \$23,140.76
Cash on hand at beginning of year, July 1, 1941		103.02
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Grand Total		\$23,243.78

Payments

Administration:	
Salaries of district officers	\$241.00
Superintendent's excess salary	268.89
Truant officer and school census	57.25

Expenses of administration	274.49
Instruction:	
Principals' and teachers' salaries	11,574.15
Text books	382.32
Scholars' supplies	392.42
Other expenses of instruction	87.57
Operation and Maintenance of School Plant:	
Janitor service	502.42
Fuel, elementary	787.31
Fuel, high	232.19
Water, light and janitor supplies	299.27
Minor repairs and expenses	448.58
Auxiliary Agencies and Special Activities:	
Health supervision	451.27
Transportation of pupils	2,331.30
High school tuition	1,976.40
Other special activities	56.02
Fixed Charges:	
Tax for state wide supervision, (\$2.00 per capita)	548.00
Insurance and other fixed charges	82.00
Outlay for Construction and Equipment:	
New equipment	2,070.36
Total Payments	<u>\$23,063.21</u>

ITEMIZED EXPENDITURES

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1942

District Officers' Salaries:

Claude M. Maker	\$100.00	
David R. Jones	50.00	
Frances C. Merrill	41.67	
Edward E. Carter—for M. M. C.	8.33	
Josiah N. Henderson, Treasurer	35.00	
Francis W. Bean, Clerk	2.00	
Henry Watkins, Moderator	2.00	
Beulah Haseltine, Auditor	2.00	
		\$241.00

Superintendent's Excess Salary:

H. W. Canfield, Treasurer	268.89
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Truant Officer and School Census:

Angus Morrison	57.25
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Expenses of Administration:

Fred W. Hall	\$16.23	
Herbert W. Canfield, Treas.,		
Union Exp.	180.40	
Edson C. Eastman Co.	13.23	
Charles F. Keniston	1.00	
World Book Co.	8.22	
J. L. Hammett	11.12	
Gaius H. Barrett	5.34	
School District of Hudson	19.10	
Mae Sherburne	4.35	
Josiah N. Henderson	13.50	
Frances C. Merrill	2.00	
		274.49

Principal's and Teachers' Salaries:

Evelyna Anderson	\$600.00
Marion Butterfield	956.00
Mary Chesworth	900.00
Louise Eugley	900.00
Dorothy Johnson	875.00
Ethel Morris York	1,000.00

Olga Sapp	875.00	
Irene Somerville	600.55	
Irene Panas	278.60	
John M. Priske	500.00	
Madeline Bennett, substitute	334.00	
J. N. Henderson, Treas.,		
High School Salaries	3,750.00	
	<hr/>	11,574.15

Text Books (High):

L. W. Singer Co.	\$16.28	
Ginn & Co.	15.69	
Houghton Mifflin Co.	19.77	
D. Appleton Century Co.	1.63	
Chas. W. Homeyer Co.	4.54	
	<hr/>	57.91

Text Books (Elementary):

Ginn & Co.	\$20.28	
L. W. Singer Co.	58.12	
Scott, Foresman & Co.	79.18	
Longmans, Green & Co.	7.45	
Chas. E. Merrill Co.	8.08	
Laidlaw Bros.	15.46	
Macmillan Co.	89.37	
Iroquois Pub. Co.	4.19	
Pacific Press Pub. Co.	6.05	
American Book Co.	18.47	
The Geographical Pub Co.	2.87	
Houghton Mifflin Co.	7.34	
Allyn & Bacon	3.11	
Beckley Cardy	4.44	
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Scholars' Supplies (High)

Erika Braun Rizzi	\$30.28	
Edward E. Babb & Co.	40.00	
University of Nebraska	13.00	
John B. Varick Co.	10.00	
Cambosco Scientific Co.	3.25	
Good Housekeeping Magazine	2.50	
Public Service Co. of N. H.	1.85	
Popular Science Monthly	1.50	
A. Kiestlinger	5.54	
H. L. Jenkins	65.17	
	<hr/>	173.09

Scholars' Supplies (Elementary):

The Papercrafters Inc.	\$7.00	
Edward E. Babb & Co.	160.09	
F. W. Woolworth Co.	6.81	
Hectographia Co.	5.61	
Cole Printing Co.	5.50	
A. H. Rice Co.	3.65	
Gel-Sten Supply Co.	4.83	
Philip Morris Co.	11.65	
Fitch Murray Co.	1.35	
John B. Varick Co.	.62	
Gledhill Bros.	4.13	
A. N. Palmer Co.	3.52	
Marsh Parsons Co.	1.98	
Phaneuf Press	2.09	
June Payroll	.50	
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		219.33

Other Expenses of Instruction:

Mae Sherburne	\$2.70	
A. H. Rice Co.	4.00	
Lorenz Pub. Co.	3.83	
Philip Morris Co.	6.75	
Catherine E. Hammond	61.50	
World Book Co.	6.53	
J. L. Hammett Co.	2.26	
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		87.57

Janitor Service:

J. N. Henderson	\$205.42	
Richard Sanborn	150.00	
Charles F. Russell	75.00	
Bernard Hall	36.00	
Edgar Lafontaine	36.00	
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		502.42

Fuel (Elementary):

F. L. Haseltine	\$560.76	
Chas. H. Fields	60.00	
Balcom Nashua Ice Co.	151.55	
P. E. Fletcher Co.	15.00	
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		787.31

Fuel (High):

A. J. Woodward	\$24.00	
Franklin Haseltine	208.19	
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		232.19

Water, Light and Janitor Supplies:

The Merrimack Co .	\$15.00	
Public Service Co. of N. H., Manchester	100.66	
Public Service Co. of N. H., Nashua	24.28	
Sanitary Service Supply Co.	90.30	
George W. Carroll, water	11.27	
Osgood Const. Co.	18.04	
Holbrook Marshall Co.	5.65	
Shedd Harris Water System	3.73	
John B. Varick Co.	16.64	
Sears Roebuck Co.	1.45	
Amos Billson	.82	
William S. Abbott	11.43	
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		299.27

Minor Repairs and Expenses:

George Keller	\$5.50	
Mrs. Eva Avery	20.00	
Osgood Const. Co.	14.18	
Ferdinand Dumont	31.05	
Tolles Bickford Lumber Co.	1.56	
Annie Russell	29.20	
Shirley Sylvester	22.80	
Hammar Hardware Co.	8.50	
George Johnson	18.20	
Geo. A. Cunningham	17.15	
Albert Bishop	2.00	
John B. Varick Co.	13.48	
Lovejoy and Smith	95.50	
Henry Hock	3.95	
Manchester Supply Co.	125.00	
Nashua Hardware & Plumbing Co.	8.55	
A. F. Arnold	1.75	
Marsh Parsons Co.	6.39	
Jeannotte Bros.	3.50	
Colburn Wallpaper Co.	5.97	
June Payroll	2.10	
Johnson's Electric Co.	1.25	
J. N. Henderson, High School	11.00	
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		448.58

Health Supervision:		
Margaret E. Cronin	\$451.27	
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Transportation:		
Edward Carter	\$390.00	
Doris Hill	396.00	
Grace Upham	465.30	
Henry Cogger	495.00	
F. W. Bean	585.00	
	<hr/>	2,331.30
High School Tuition:		
City of Nashua	\$1,976.40	
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Other Special Activities:		
Philip Morris Co.	\$56.02	
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State Wide Supervision:		
Paid State Treasurer	\$548.00	
	<hr/>	548.00
New Equipment:		
J. N. Henderson	\$400.00	
Bay State Artesian Well Co.	1,274.00	
Geo. A. Cunningham	137.36	
Lovejoy and Smith	184.00	
P. E. Fletcher Co.	75.00	
	<hr/>	2,070.36
Other Fixed Charges:		
Claude M. Maker, insurance	\$82.00	
	<hr/>	82.00
Total Payments		<hr/> \$23,063.21

SCHOOL BOARD'S ESTIMATE FOR 1943-44

School District of Merrimack

School Board's statement of amounts required to support public schools and meet other statutory obligations of the district for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1943.

Detailed Statement of Expenditures

Support of Schools:

	High Schools	Elem. Schools
Teachers' salaries	\$4,000.00	\$8,525.00
Text books	100.00	400.00
Scholars' supplies	100.00	400.00
Flags and appurtenances	.....	15.00
Other expenses of instruction	.....	230.00
Janitor service	.....	447.00
Fuel	342.50	1,120.50
Water, light and janitor supplies	.....	260.00
Minor repairs and expenses	100.00	350.00
Health supervision, (Medical inspection)	23.00	439.47
Transportation of pupils	.....	2,170.00
Other special activities	.....	30.00
	\$4,665.50	\$14,386.97
		\$19,052.47

Other Statutory Requirements:

Salaries of district officers, (Fixed by district)	\$241.00
Truant officer and school census, (Fixed by district)	45.00
Payment of high school tuition, (Estimated by district)	1,700.00
Superintendent's excess salary, (Fixed by S. U.)	350.00

Per capita tax (reported by state treasurer)	640.00	
Other obligations:		
Administration	\$276.00	
Insurance	154.00	
New equipment	50.00	
	<u>480.00</u>	
		<u>3,456.00</u>
Total amount required to meet School Board's Budget		\$22,508.47

Estimate Income of District

Balance June 30, 1943 (estimate)	\$100.00	
State aid (Dec. 1943, allotment)	3,000.00	
Dog tax (estimate)	175.00	
Income from trust funds	475.00	
Other estimated income (George Reed fund)	100.00	
	<u>3,850.00</u>	
Deduct Total Estimated Income (Not Raised by Tax)		<u>3,850.00</u>
Assessment Required to Balance School Board's Budget		\$18,658.47
Special Appropriations Proposed (Articles in Warrant)		

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

Hudson, N. H., February 15, 1943.

To the School Board and Citizens of the Town of
Merrimack:

I herewith submit my second annual report as
Superintendent of Schools:

The work for the year, owing to war conditions, has been different from any other year in the past. There has been a large number of changes in the teaching staff. On March 20th Evelyn Anderson at No. 5 School resigned to take a position in Massachusetts. Irene Panas was engaged for the remainder of the year. The teachers for the present school year are as follows:

Reed's Ferry, Louise Eugley, Grs. 1-4; Ethel Morris York, Grs. 5-8.

Merrimack Grammar, Marion Butterfield, Grs. 1-4; Esther Grout, Grs. 5-8.

Thornton's Ferry, Virginia Rollins, Grs. 1-4; Marie Goddard, Grs. 5-8.

No. 5, Irene Panas, Grs. 1-8.

No. 12, Helen CaFantaris, Grs. 1-8.

McGaw Institute, Lawrence Cornwell, Headmaster; Millicent O'Leary, (Resigned in Dec.); Sara Richards Colon (Elected to fill vacancy); Erika Braun Rizzi.

John M. Priske, Music all schools.

Mrs. Catherine Hammond, lip reading for handicapped children.

During the year, the teachers have been called upon by the United States Government to ration sugar, gas, fuel oil and canned fruits and vegetables. They were assisted by a group of interested citizens who gladly gave their time to help in this necessary war work. The work of the teachers and helpers has been greatly appreciated by the community. We expect more of this work before the end of the school year.

The time given to this service has not been a total loss to the school work. Many helpful contacts were made by the teachers and citizens of the town. In

many cases people came to the school buildings for their ration books for the first time since they had themselves been in school.

The fuel situation will be something of a problem. Wood is hard to get and the quality is only fair. We do not anticipate any trouble with coal except a higher price may have to be paid. The Thornton's Ferry building burns fuel oil. So far, we have been able to get sufficient for the needs of the school. We have notified the ration board that it is expensive and impractical to convert to a coal burning system. We expect oil will be allowed us for the remainder of the year and probably for the coming year unless there is some unforeseen emergency.

A larger number than usual graduated from the eighth grade last June. This has made the enrollment at McGaw larger than usual (see Headmaster's report). Whenever conditions warrant the school district would do something about transportation of high school pupils. Present conditions are certainly detrimental to the safety and convenience of the high school students of the town of Merrimack.

I would like to express my appreciation for the fine cooperation of the School Board, teachers, pupils and all others concerned who have helped to make a most successful school year.

Enrollment February 1, 1943

Grades	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	Totals
Reed's Ferry	7	7	5	6	4	4	3	3	..	..	..	..	39
Merrimack Gram.	9	6	4	8	12	7	8	5	..	..	..	..	59
Thornton's Ferry	15	4	6	9	12	8	5	6	..	..	..	..	65
No. 5	2	3	2	1	3	3	3	1	..	..	..	..	18
No. 12	5	1	4	2	2	1	4	0	..	..	..	..	19
McGaw Institute	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	24	5	7	6	42
Totals	38	21	21	26	33	23	23	15	24	5	7	6	242

Respectfully submitted,

GAIUS H. BARRETT,
Superintendent of Schools.

ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE

Reed's Ferry—William Michie, Gr. 1; Barbara Bullard, Donald Rowell, Gr. 5; Gloria Cogger, Flora Berry, Gr. 8.

Merrimack Grammar—Eva Dwire, Gr. 2; Dana Patterson, Donald Murphy, Gr. 3; Thomas Murphy, Dorothy Dwire, Donald Perkins, Gr. 4; William Jenkins, Gr. 7.

Thornton's Ferry—Violet Dwire, Raymond Lewis, Gr. 5; Helen Twardosky, Gr. 6; Ralph Dwire, Gr. 7.

McGaw Institute—Armen Mirakian, Charles Cathcart, Gr. 9; Edward Hock, Clifford Greenleaf, Forrest Bean, Gr. 10; Russell Dupell, Gr. 11; Elizabeth Stowell, Esther Gray, Gr. 12.

REPORT OF SCHOOL NURSE FOR MERRIMACK

To the School Board and Citizens of Merrimack:

Year Ending June 30, 1942

Number of pupils examined	292
Number excluded on account of communicable diseases	48
Number of visits to schools	267
Number of visits to homes	114

Defects	No. Pupils affected	No. receiving treatment	No. defects corrected
Underweight (10%)	9	9	4
Defective vision	6	6	5
Defective hearing	4	4	..
Nervous condition	1	1	..
Defective teeth	125	..	75
Diseased tonsils	2	..	2

Cases of communicable diseases:

Mumps	30
Whooping cough	9
Pediculosis	4

5 pupils examined by Dr. Kerr at the clinic.

4 pupils receiving lip-reading instructions.

Report of Dental Clinic

Number of pupils treated	75
Number receiving complete care	54
Number of cleanings	53
Number of silver fillings	37
Number per. teeth extracted	15
Number tem. teeth extracted	42

The clinic was financed by money raised by vote at town meeting.

Respectfully submitted,

MARGARET E. CRONIN,
School Nurse.

REPORT OF THE HEADMASTER OF McGAW NORMAL INSTITUTE

McGaw started its ninety-third year on September 9th, with an enrollment of forty-three. This number is rather interesting since it is five more than the previous year and where nearby schools reported a considerable loss in enrollment we have had and can look forward to an increase in enrollment. Of the total number, twenty-five are enrolled in the Freshman Class. This is without a doubt one of the largest classes to enter McGaw for some time.

We are able to report good things of the nine members of the class of '42. Two are attending the University of New Hampshire. One is taking the Home Economics Course at Keene Teachers College. All six others are regularly employed with the greater proportion in defense industries. The tendency on the part of these people to take evening courses and Civil Service Examination is to be highly commended.

Because of the war, school has not been carried on in the same leisurely way as in the past. The upper classmen are particularly aware of this, knowing full well that in very short order they have a task to do. The school day has been speeded up in order that older pupils may help, outside of regular school hours, in the shop and on the farm. A physical fitness program is in operation with a full period each day devoted to exercises and competitive games. Because of the skills required of our graduates we are bringing into a good proportion of our classes those things which will be of practical use, this is especially true of Mathematics and the Sciences! Non-credit work in Electricity and Aeronautics will be offered the last half of the year.

Because of the transportation problem, extra curricula activity has been curtailed. There is a likelihood that we will attempt the Senior Play in order to help defray graduation expenses. The boys and girls should be commended for their regular attendance at school. With the probability of having to walk both ways each

day, a good proportion have set a record of which we are all proud.

Under the direction and encouragement of Mr. Priske, the school has an orchestra of nine members. This, together with his other duties, has made for a better school program.

School lunches, under the direction of Mrs. Rizzi, have been served again this year and with a shorter noon hour practically all have availed themselves of a hot dish each day.

During this emergency the schools must not fail to properly guide and care for our young people. Neither should parents neglect the schools. Regardless of work opportunities offered young people today, when the war is over the boy or girl with an education will have a decided advantage. We must be serious in our work and all those who are failing to take full advantage of educational opportunities should immediately enter industry or farm work where they may learn some method of providing for themselves later on.

Births Registered in the Town of Merrimack, N. H., for the Year Ending January 31, 1943

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Sex	Birthplace	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
Jan. 15, 1915	Ernest J. Humphrey	M	Merrimack	James A. Humphrey	Mamie E. Humphrey
Feb. 20, 1925	Edward I. Huijsak	M	Merrimack	Stanley Huijsak	Sophia Bednarz
Feb. 8, 1942	Carolyn E. Carter	F	Nashua	Winston E. Carter	Rose E. Nadeau
Mar. 22	Ruth A. Bishop	F	Nashua	George B. Bishop	Nellie Ashkan
Apr. 4	Arthur T. Longa	M	Somerville, Mass.	Arthur C. Longa	Evelyn D. Tobin
Mar. 23	Robert A. Pigeon	M	Nashua	Arthur J. Pigeon	Florence A. Bishop
May 12	Joyce E. Worster	F	Nashua	Clarence P. Worster	Eleanor A. Wilkins
May 14	Wayne E. Bishop	M	Nashua	Karl F. Bishop	Lea F. Dayton
May 16	Brenda J. Joziatis	F	Merrimack	Wilfred Lucier	Dorothy Talty
June 16	Sandra J. Joziatis	F	Nashua	Michael T. Joziatis	Sylvia L. Cox
June 23	Barbara J. Twardowsky	F	Merrimack	Joseph Twardowsky	Josephine B. Porst
Aug. 23	Frank M. Twardowsky	M	Merrimack	Joseph Twardowsky	Josephine B. Porst
Aug. 9	Leola A. French	F	Goffstown	Elwin J. French	Agnes M. Rock
Sept. 11	Patricia L. Janas	F	Nashua	John J. Janas	Marjorie G. Bigwood
Sept. 25	Carol J. Downs	F	Merrimack	Daniel Downs	Inis Gallup
Sept. 27	Robert E. Rollins	M	Nashua	Perley E. Rollins	Rita G. Beaudet
Oct. 12	Eldene M. Gagnon	F	Nashua	Andre Gagnon	Esther L. Haslam
Oct. 12	Linda A. Warriner	F	Nashua	Theodore E. Warriner	Anne L. Stevens
Oct. 18	Ellen F. Powell	F	Nashua	Francis J. Powell	Marilyn D. Bell
Oct. 19	Shirley F. Reed	F	Nashua	Myrl C. Reed	Florence A. Zintel
Nov. 19	Lawrence G. Jasper	M	Nashua	Forrest W. Jasper	Arlene E. Lougee
Nov. 12	Irene Dumont	F	Nashua	Ferdinand Dumont	Angeline M. Charon
Dec. 17	Robert M. Mullavey	M	Merrimack	Charles T. Mullavey	Nellie L. Hunt
Dec. 12	Francis J. O'Gara III	M	Nashua	Francis J. O'Gara, Jr.	Elizabeth M. Flanders

I hereby certify that the foregoing return of Births for the Town of Merrimack, N. H., is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. Attest:

DAVID R. JONES, Town Clerk.

Marriages Reported in the Town of Merrimack, N. H., for the Year Ending January 31, 1943.

Date of Marriage	Names of Groom and Bride	Age	Residence of Each at Time of Marriage	Birthplace of Each	Names of Parents	By Whom Married Place of Marriage
1942						
Feb.	18					
	Perley J. Greeley	22	S Merrimack	Windham	George A. Greeley	John E. Baker
	Yvonne I. Cote	20	S Merrimack	Merrimack	Clara J. Locke	Justice of the Peace Hudson
Apr.	11					
	Edward M. Berry	26	D Merrimack	Berlin	Arthur J. Cote	A. H. Graham
	Marguerite L. Parsons	19	S Topsham, Me.	Topsham, Me.	John Berry	Clergyman Topsham, Me.
Apr.	12					
	James E. Curry	21	S Attleboro, Mass.	Pawtucket, R. I.	Letha Banks	David R. Jones
	Verginia F. Patenaude	18	S So. Attleboro, Mass.	Pawtucket, R. I.	John J. Curry	Justice of the Peace Merrimack
Apr.	17					
	Donald A. Mellen	20	S Lowell, Mass.	Lowell, Mass.	Flora C. Allsworth	Florence Langevine
	Barbara J. Howard	19	S Lowell, Mass.	Lowell, Mass.	Amos Patenaude	Lawrence Mellen
	George A. Boucher	38	W Nashua	Nashua	Lawrence Mellen	Mary A. Tatro
Apr.						
	Gertrude Mae Roby	22	D So. Merrimack	Nashua	Fred P. Howard	David R. Jones
May	12					
	Harry N. Belezarian, Jr.	23	S Worcester, Mass.	Worcester, Mass.	Mary Clark	Justice of the Peace Merrimack
	Alice M. Johnson	27	S Worcester, Mass.	Worcester, Mass.	Anedee Boucher	Ernest T. Marble
May	16					
	John J. Cox	39	S Reeds Ferry	Manchester	Lavinia Clarette	Clergyman Nashua
	Margaret E. McKnight	26	S Manchester	Manchester	Ernest P. Morse	John W. Wright
May	22					
	Albert A. Houle	19	S Merrimack	Manchester	Jennie E. Arlen	Clergyman Merrimack
	Rita Lena Thiboutot	20	S Nashua	Lowell, Mass.	Harry N. Belzarian	W. T. Armitage
May	23					
	Howard H. Roby	31	D So. Merrimack	Lawrence, Mass.	Nathle M. Saffir	Manchaster
	Catherine Klimas	28	S Nashua	Gardner, Mass.	Peter Johnson	W. T. Armitage

June	12	Cedric L. Mather	.....	23	S	Jacksonville, Ill.	.....	Harry Mather	.....	Alden D. Kelley
		Phyllis E. Foster	.....	23	S	Merrimack	.....	Nellie M. McComb	.....	Episcopal Priest
June	13	Russell V. Bell	.....	19	S	Reeds Ferry	.....	Wilbur J. Foster	.....	Nashua
		Marjorie E. Iller	.....	18	S	Manchester	.....	Edna C. Staples	.....	William D. Rowland
June	14	Roscoe W. Brown	.....	34	S	Charlestown	.....	Arthur C. Bell	.....	Minister
		Lois Anna Parker	.....	25	S	Merrimack	.....	Olive Wotten	.....	Manchester
June	19	Paul Charles Rizzi	.....	32	S	Milford	.....	Frank A. Iller	.....	Beatrice Lamore
		Erika Dorothea Braun	.....	24	S	Attleboro, Mass.	.....	Wilson G. Brown	.....	Charles S. Haynes
July	19	Daniel J. McElhinney	.....	22	S	Boston, Mass.	.....	Arcada Z. Foster	.....	Clergyman
		Mary L. Redman	.....	19	S	Somerville, Mass.	.....	Charles R. Parker	.....	Merrimack
July	26	George M. Greenleaf	.....	23	S	Merrimack	.....	Susanne B. Patterson	.....	Ernest T. Marble
		Elizabeth R. Herrick	.....	21	S	Merrimack	.....	John Rizzi	.....	Clergyman
Aug.	16	Francis J. O'Gara, Jr.	.....	23	S	Merrimack	.....	Mary Caldera	.....	Nashua
		Elizabeth M. Flanders	.....	22	S	Merrimack	.....	Karl P. Braun	.....	David R. Jones
Aug.	22	Roland C. Mason	.....	39	D	Nashua	.....	John F. McElhinney	.....	Justice of the Peace
		Irene L. Berner	.....	30	D	Nashua	.....	Frances E. O'Connor	.....	Merrimack
Aug.	29	Harry DeW. Greenleaf, Jr.	.....	21	S	Thornton's Ferry	.....	William H. Redmond	.....	John W. Wright
		Lucy M. Raby	.....	22	S	Nashua	.....	Mary E. Melvin	.....	Clergyman
Sept.	5	Edward B. Dalton	.....	38	S	Reeds Ferry	.....	Francis J. O'Gara	.....	John E. Hathaway
		Rhea Marie Cote	.....	34	S	Manchester	.....	Mary I. Tobin	.....	Catholic Priest
			.....				.....	Frank R. Flanders	.....	Nashua
			.....				.....	Flora Annie Wise	.....	David R. Jones
			.....				.....	Albert C. Mason	.....	Justice of the Peace
			.....				.....	Ida Russell Holt	.....	Merrimack
			.....				.....	James Dean	.....	Denton J. Nailly
			.....				.....	Mary L. Pelletier	.....	Minister
			.....				.....	Harry deW. Greenleaf	.....	Nashua
			.....				.....	Grace W. Marshall	.....	Paul Desaulniers
			.....				.....	Plincy R. Raby	.....	Catholic Priest
			.....				.....	Lillian M. Budro	.....	Manchester
			.....				.....	Patrick Dalton	.....	Alfred Cote
			.....				.....	Christine Daley	.....	Athale Gendron

Marriages Reported in the Town of Merrimack, N. H., for the Year Ending January 31, 1943.

Date of Marriage	Names of Groom and Bride	Age	Cond.	Residence of Each at Time of Marriage	Birthplace of Each	Name of Parents	By Whom Married
Sept. 7	Edward G. Wilkins	22	S	Merrimack	Nashua	Fred E. Wilkins	Oscar E. Gignere
	Theresa R. Wollen	20	S	Nashua	Nashua	John Wollen	Catholic Priest
Sept. 14	Fred M. Ball	83	W	Washington	Washington	Henry M. Ball	Nashua
	Mabel E. French	61	S	Merrimack	New York City	Frank French	John W. Wright
Sept. 26	Charles R. York, Jr.	30	S	Baltimore, Md.	Ellsworth, Me.	Alice Hendricks	Clergyman
	Ethel L. Morris	34	S	Merrimack	Pelham	Edwin H. Morris	Merrimack
Nov. 22	Carl F. Burroughs	43	W	Manchester	Merrimack	Louise Bannister	Ernest T. Marble
	Stella A. Dwire	41	D	Merrimack	Bedford	Wesley A. Burroughs	Clergyman
Dec. 20	Oscar Godbout	66	W	Bedford	Canada	Ella M. Adams	Merrimack
	Mabel A. Lampher	52	W	Merrimack	Fairfield, Me.	Fred Langevin	John W. Wright
Dec. 27	Stanley V. Worrad	30	S	Merrimack	Manchester	Edith F. Lampher	Clergyman
	Ruth E. Maker	24	S	Merrimack	Nashua	Joseph V. Worrad	Merrimack
1943						Eva Brousson	
Jan. 30	John Henry Worster	18	S	Merrimack	Sutton	Claude M. Maker	John W. Wright
	Marion Freda Smith	17	S	Nashua	Derry	Flora E. Cushing	Clergyman
						Willis L. Worster	Merrimack
						Maudie J. Berry	
						Fred Ray Smith	
						Freda L. Bailey	

I hereby certify that the foregoing return of Marriages for the Town of Merrimack, N. H., is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief. Attest:

DAVID R. JONES, Town Clerk.

Deaths Registered in the Town of Merrimack, N. H., for the Year Ending January 31, 1943.

Date of Death	Name of Deceased	Sex	Cond.	Age	Place of Death	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Burial
1942								
Mar. 10	Arthur J. St. Laurent	M	M	67	Merrimack	Leon St. Laurent	Enna Lavoie	Nashua
Apr. 4	Ralph H. Nay	M	M	41	Goffstown	William F. Nay	Adaline E. Shedd	Merrimack
Apr. 9	Laura A. Wise	F	M	64	Merrimack	Samuel Barlow	Nellie Center	Merrimack
May 1	Willard I. Tebb, Jr.	M	S	2	Nashua	Willard I. Tebb	Mabel Pearson	Merrimack
May 27	Camilla G. Sanford	F	S	87	Goffstown	George B. Sanford	J's pline E. Connor	Manchester
May 30	Helen Morrill	F	S	11m.	Bedford	Frank Morrill	Myrtle Lamplier	Merrimack
June 13	Jennie Nichols	F	W	80	Goffstown	Newton McClure	Susanne Dunklen	Merrimack
July 5	Fred N. McClure	M	W	74	Goffstown	A. D. Flansburg	Hepsibeth	Merrimack
July 10	Merle Gerson	F	D	41	Goffstown	Ezor Northrop	Minnie E. Sennott	Merrimack
July 20	Ellen F. Powell	F	M	69	Nashua	Daniel H. Webster	Sarah Williams	Lebanon
July 22	Mary E. Fisk	F	M	60	Merrimack	Wm. H. Foster	Mary E. Crouch	Merrimack
Aug. 9	Ibra J. Foster	M	W	87	Merrimack	Wm. H. Foster	Rebecca Parker	Nashua
Sept. 17	Mary E. Clark	F	W	48	Lowell, Mass.	Robert C. Harris	Lorinda Carpenter	Merrimack
Oct. 8	Rebecca E. Childs	F	W	89	Merrimack	James W. Longa	Eugenia McMillen	Merrimack
Oct. 10	Clara W. Sanderson	F	W	74	Goffstown	John Johnson	Greta Anderson	Merrimack
Dec. 20	(Baby) Nay	M	W	5m.	Manchester	William Graves	Tryphene Ford	Merrimack
Dec. 20	John F. Johnson	M	W	66	Goffstown	Albin Richards	Mary Clough	Merrimack
Dec. 30	John T. Graves	M	D	72	Merrimack	Hiram L. Wilson	Maria Sunbury	Merrimack
Dec. 30	Mrs. Emor Van Woert	F	W	75	Nashua			
1943								
Jan. 23	Electa M. Lynch	F	W	59	Merrimack			

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DAVID R. JONES, Town Clerk.

